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Romulus students dusted off their dancing shoes and warmed up their voices Friday night in preparation for the annual high school talent show. Prior to the event, students lined up in the hallways practicing routines and trying to hide their nervousness. Among the student performers was the group The Rulers (top), which

included Kela Grundy, Tina Gray and Ray-Ray Grundy. Matt McIntosh (left) presented a guitar act. Members of a rap group (right) looked confident before the show - Luvoney Gipson, Surilla Gipson, Sabrina Adams, Calvin Riley, Tenicia Wells and Melvia Daniels. ANP photos by Debbie Pountney

Schools hand out \$514,000 refund

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Romulus school officials anticipate a cash-flow problem for the remainder of the fiscal year due to a hefty tax payment to a local business.

A \$514,000 tax refund must be paid to the Romulus Kelsey-Hayes plant by this Monday, according to Joel Carr, assistant superintendent for finance and operations.

Officials of the company convinced state officials to reduce state-equalized property values for the facility from 1985 through 1989. Carr explained the impact.

In 1985, he said, SEV for the plant totaled approximately \$10.4 million. The revised SEV for that year is \$7.5 million. Romulus schools owe the plant \$132,000 in taxes for that year alone, Carr said.

Similar refunds from 1986,

1987, 1988 and 1989 are now due the company - with a total of \$514,000.

School officials will take \$470,000 of the refund from the district general fund. The additional \$44,000 will come from the district debt fund.

Carr anticipates a total reimbursement from the state for the payment from the general fund. Romulus is an in-formula school and receives funding based on income per student. The tax refund changes the formula, Carr said.

The reimbursement, however, should not be expected before June.

"That costs you a few dollars in interest," Carr said.

Money allocated from the debt fund will not be replaced.

Anticipating a cash-flow problem, school board members authorized a \$3.6 million loan from Security National Bank to meet the district obligations.

Revised master plan receives high marks

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

A revised master plan for Romulus is almost ready to clear the final hurdle.

City councilmembers expressed approval of the latest draft during a joint meeting with the planning commission Monday.

Residents will have their say about the plan at a public hearing set for 8 p.m. April 17.

Residents' concerns will be taken into consideration and a final plan will be placed before members of the planning commission.

Once finalized, the master plan will serve as a guideline for future development in Romulus.

Dennis Meagher, of Community Planning and Management, Inc. presented the plan Monday.

Meagher referred to eight giant maps taped to the walls of council chambers representing current land use, zoning, airport noise waves, the plan update and close-ups of several developments.

Meagher suggested that once the plan is adopted, councilmembers should amend zoning ordinances accordingly.

"As a policy guide, the zoning ordinances should be developed from the master plan. Now, the zoning does not reflect the 1976 (current) master plan or the current thinking in the city," Meagher said.

Meagher outlined the impact of existing facilities within the city.

"Those areas that are our greatest benefits - the railroads, the airport, the freeways - are also our biggest problems," he said.

Residential development, for example is limited due to airport take-off and landing paths. He suggested the area north of the airport would be the most appropriate for residential development.

Trucking and industrial developments would go in "high-noise" areas, he said.

The new master plan will also consider roadways. Merriam Road would be targeted as a major link to the city and to the airport. According to the latest draft of the plan, Merri-

man would be widened and made into a boulevard.

Heavier traffic flow is also anticipated on Pennsylvania, especially if Eureka Road becomes a second entrance to Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

In conjunction with a revitalized downtown area, Goddard Road would be widened from city hall to Five Points. Planners also hope to see improved parking downtown.

The current master plan for Romulus was adopted in 1976.

It emphasizes industrial development and it does not allow for major centers of interest such as the proposed Wick Road development or the recreation center/golf course development.

Councilmembers said they are pleased with the proposed plan.

"I think what we're seeing is an upgrade...keeping up with the times," Mary Ann Banks, mayor pro tem, said.

District lays off 95 school teachers

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

A list bearing the names of 95 teachers targeted for layoff was approved Monday by members of the board of the education. The layoffs are a result of budget shortfalls in the district.

The layoffs were based on seniority with teachers hired as early as 1975. The teachers

will receive notification in the mail within the next few days, according to school officials.

The layoffs will be in effect for the 1989-90 school year, saving the district \$1.4 million.

The district financial problems stem from a number of sources. The district has seen a steady decline in enrollments. Last year, the 5,600-student district lost 300 students and offi-

cials see the trend continuing.

Additional problems include lack of state funding, which is based on student enrollment; a \$294,000 deficit and the refund of \$514,000 in back taxes to a local company.

Despite these difficulties, the layoff notices are not written in stone, said Joel Carr, assistant superintendent for finance and operations.

"We will call many of those

people back in June," he said.

"You've got to over-react," he said. Some teachers with less seniority are more qualified to remain," Carr added. "Thus, the decisions were based upon seniority and certification."

The list of teachers to receive notices includes 35 teachers from the Beacon Day Treatment Center.

School board threatens to evict Beacon center

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

The future of the Romulus-based Beacon Day Treatment Center remains questionable after school board members voted Monday to stop hosting the facility, if liability and maintenance problems continue.

Beacon Day Treatment Center has been housed in the Old South Middle School building, on Olive, for approximately 10 years. It services emotionally impaired students from kindergarten through 12th grade.

Although Romulus Community Schools provide space for

the center, few Romulus students attend. The school serves students from 24 area districts.

Board members had originally planned to consider a motion to notify representatives of the Wayne County Intermediate School District that Romulus schools no longer interested in hosting the facility.

Superintendent William Bedell requested in January a signed contract with the Wayne County Intermediate School District excusing Romulus schools from liability in connection with the center. The contract would place that responsibility with the intermediate school district.

"We are currently providing

you with two buildings, one of which is very old and in need of repairs. Local taxpayers should not be responsible for funding for another building if something happens to make one of the buildings suddenly unusable. Major maintenance risks are our concern here," stated Bedell in a letter to James Greiner, associate superintendent of the Wayne County Intermediate School District.

Finally, Bedell requested more details on who is responsible for implementing and controlling the Beacon program.

Unless the three issues were addressed by April 1, Bedell

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Library lease is renewed

The five-year lease agreement for the Wayne Oakland Library Federation offices, at 33030 Van Born Road, in Wayne, has been renegotiated with Wayne County officials.

However, in the new agreement, asbestos insulation, originally used in the offices, will be removed by county workers, according to Douglas Whitaker, spokesman for WOLF.

The first lease agreement was negotiated in 1978, which was for a 10-year cycle, Whitaker said. This agreement will be for five years, with a self-renewing feature added to it.

The asbestos insulation will be removed this summer, Whitaker said.

WOLF provides support services to 60 public libraries in Wayne and Oakland counties.

Wayne officials on talk show

Wayne Mayor Patrick Norton and City Manager Thomas Daily will discuss their city with host Lou Farrell on his weekly talk show, "What's on Your Mind," at 1 p.m. tomorrow.

The show is designed for audience participation and enjoyment. Listeners may call in with questions.

Guests of the show are various individuals in the community who are capable of answering questions of community concern, radio-station officials said.

Tax-tips phone service extended

The toll-free telephone service lines of the Internal Revenue Service will be extended for the next few days.

Phone lines will be open from 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. tomorrow, 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Monday.

The extensions are due to the anticipated April 17 filing rush, IRS officials said.

The toll-free phone number is 1-800-424-1040.

Homebuyers' forum staged

A free homebuyers' seminar is slated for 7 p.m. May 2 at the Holiday Inn-Livonia West, 17123 N. Laurel Park Dr., at Six Mile Road and I-275.

The event, open to the public, will feature appraisers, attorneys, certified public accountants, lenders and realtors discussing homebuying.

Clean water is forum topic

Michigan and local water-quality problems were the topics of discussion during a forum sponsored by the Southeast Michigan Area-wide Water Quality Board yesterday.

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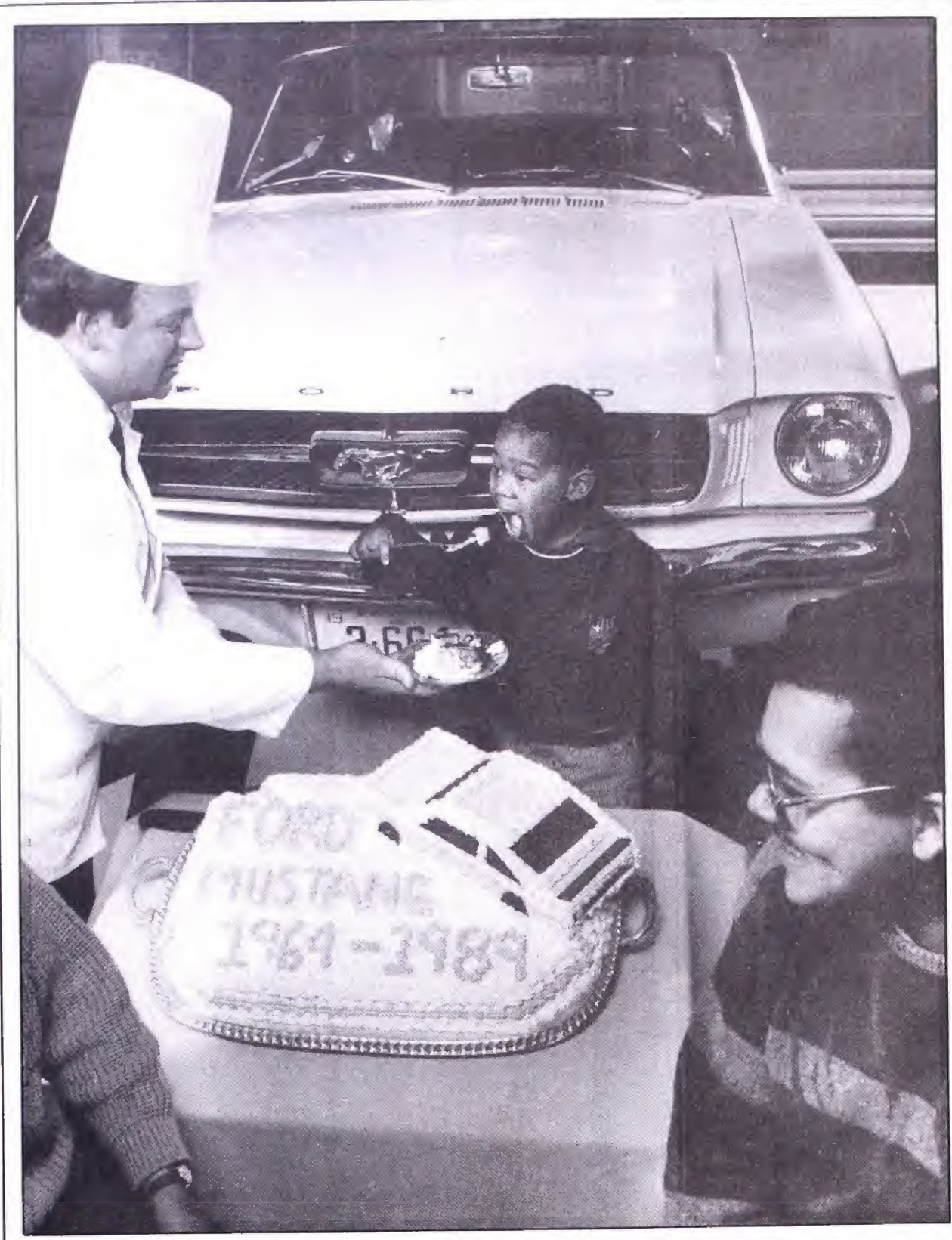
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Happy birthday

Belleville resident Onel Isaac (far right) was among those celebrating the birthday of the Ford Mustang during a celebration at Henry Ford Museum, in Dearborn, last week. On April 17, 1964, the introduction of the Mustang made automotive history and created a stir among the car-buying public. The first Mustang to roll off the assembly line is now on display at the museum. In celebration of "The Automobile in American Life" exhibition at the museum, museum chef Kevin McLaughlin (left) last week offered cake to visitors Mikkel Harvey (eating) and Isaac. Special photo to ANP

Airport development viable, analyst says

By BARBARA WILSON
ANP News Editor

An expanding air-cargo market and increased business traffic will benefit communities located near Metro Airport, in Romulus, officials from a consulting firm studying the Eloise property, in Westland, for potential development said last week.

The study—commissioned by officials from Inkster, Romulus and Westland—is being coordinated by the consulting firm of Artur D. Little. Representatives of the firm asked city officials last week to discuss what has been learned to date.

The Eloise study is expected to be completed in late May.

The final report is expected to outline the development potential for the Eloise property—on Michigan Avenue and Merriman Road. The study also targets the land for the proposed Metro World Centre—a \$1 billion hotel/office/educational proposed development in Romulus—and several smaller parcels.

The purpose of the study is to determine the impact expansion at Metro Airport will have on local developments.

Consultant Mike Dawson talked about trends in the airline industry and ways communities could cash in on them.

Dawson suggested that, with only modest passenger growth, the local air-cargo industry would be worth pursuing. Both Detroit Metropolitan Airport and Willow Run Airport, he said, have great potential for expanded air-cargo business.

"The new Canada trade agreement will also offer new opportunities," Dawson said.

A recent emphasis on supplying goods or parts in the auto industry overnight will also offer new opportunities for development near the airport, according to consultant Sasha Page.

Page suggested the local development of new supplier firms, warehouses for auto parts and storage facilities for other goods. He said the increased need for hotel space should not be overlooked—especially the need for high-quality hotels.

Also a part of the study is a concern for access to the airport from the properties being evaluated. Access is pivotal to the success of any projects planned, Dawson said.

Improvements to Merriman Road and improved access to Willow Run Airport are essential to attract developers to the area, he continued.

The consultants will continue to gather information from the communities and will meet again with city officials in May to discuss the study. It will then be published as a final report.

Senior day tickets offered

Tickets will be available this week for local senior citizens who want to take a stand for the issues they believe are important to Michigan seniors.

Senior Power Day is set for May 16, in Lansing. The event attracts approximately 6,000 senior citizens to the steps of the state Capitol each year.

The rally provides senior citizens with an opportunity to speak out and be heard, according to organizers.

Dr. Daniel Thursz, president of the National Council on Aging, will be the keynote speaker.

Tickets for Senior Power Day are free, and officials from most local senior citizens' centers are making transportation plans for groups wishing to attend.

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ROMULUS NEWS

DIGEST

Dropout study
'is a success'

The second symposium on dropout prevention, staged by students of Romulus Senior High School, was a success, according to principal Tom Dolan.

"It was the best we had," Dolan said. "We got a lot more specific with developing strategies."

The symposium teamed students, faculty and community representatives with the goal of adding polish to ideas for reducing the dropout rate. The ideas came from brainstorming sessions staged in February.

"We had a really good representation," Dolan said.

Fifteen local business people attended, along with State Rep. James Kosteva (D-Canton) and a representative from Gov. James Blanchard's office.

School officials expect to compile suggestions from the meeting by next week.

Clinic thanks
police for help

The staff of the Northland Family Planning Clinic, in Romulus, sent thanks to the Romulus Police Department for assistance during a potential disturbance at the clinic.

Staff members were concerned the clinic would be targeted by a local chapter of the National Operation Rescue Group, an anti-abortion organization. Members of the group were reportedly planning to stage a sit-in in front of an area abortion clinic March 24, preventing clients from entering, according to Tracey Bauman, counseling director.

When Romulus police officials were informed the local clinic might be targeted, two officers met with the clinic staff in advance and were on hand the day of the reported sit-in. Protestors never arrived.

"Because we were so prepared, because the police were on hand before anything happened, it possibly prevented us from being targeted," Bauman said.

Senior spring
outings set

Trips ranging from a night at the bowling alley to a Las Vegas vacation will be available through the Romulus Senior Center this spring. Check the sign-up sheets for details.

A pot luck dinner is planned for April 18 at the center complete with turkey prepared by center chefs. Advance sign-up is required.

Nine-pin tap bowling will begin at 10 a.m. April 19. The \$7 fee includes jackpots, coffee and doughnuts.

On April 21 seniors will go on a spending spree at the Rawsonville Shopping Center. Seniors will be charged \$1.50 for transportation.

On April 27, an early dinner outing is scheduled. Participants will go to the William Ford Vocational/Technical Center, in Westland, for a buffet prepared by the adult culinary art students.

An extended Las Vegas trip will be offered May 7 through May 11. Participants will room at the Imperial Palace. The cost is \$319 per person, double occupancy.

A weekend trip to Chicago from May 12 through May 14 is also planned. The cost is \$249 per person for double occupancy.

In June, a bus tour to the Michigan "thumb" is available for \$14.50.

To obtain information about any of these activities, call the recreation center at 942-6852.

Romulus resident
receives honors

Paulette Lorenz Dugan, of Romulus, was recognized for her high grade point average during an honors reception staged April 2 at the McKenny Union Ballroom at Eastern Michigan University.

The reception was for students of the College of Health and Human Services earning a grade point average of at least 3.0.

Block grant program
is 'shoved aside'

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

In order to cover \$23,500 worth of site-preparation costs for a senior housing project, city officials may be forced to reallocate 1987 Community Development Block Grant funds resulting in the termination of an existing program.

The Romulus Home Incentive Program would be terminated if reallocation of the funds is approved.

Although still in the planning stages the home incentive program was designed to encourage first-time home buyers to build in Romulus. Reduced prices for land, considered difficult to develop, would be offered.

The program has been before councilmembers several times as planners develop and clarify wording.

If the program is terminated now, it will probably be gone for good, according to Dennis Oakes, community development director.

"We don't anticipate taking it back to council," he said. "It's just become too complicated."

Local plant faces
shut down in May

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Plant I of the Lear Siegler Seating Corporation, on Eureka Road, faces temporary shutdown in May.

The number of workers affected is not known.

The shutdown is the direct result of halted automobile production at the General Motors Willow Run Assembly Plant. Production at the plant will stop May 19, to set up production of a new line.

"Since we are a Just-in-Time supplier of car seats to our customer, we must also cease car seat production accordingly," Human Resources Manager Michael Hartt wrote in a letter to Mayor Beverly McAnally. "The new employment levels will be totally dependent on build process and product lines for 1990."

Of the 280 plant employees, the total number to be affected has not been determined, according to Dan Norris, also of the human resources office. Workers were informed of the shutdown in January.

Romulus city officials intend to meet with Lear Siegler representatives during the next few weeks, according to Matthew Raftary, tax assessment director.

"The city's main concern is loss of employment," Raftary said.

A loss of tax dollars is not anticipated from the shutdown.

The shutdown is temporary, according to administrator Tim Collins of the Southfield offices for Lear Siegler.

"We certainly have full intent to go back 100 percent when General Motors is ready," he said.

Plant I of Lear Siegler opened in November 1985.

Romulus recognizes
Consumers Week

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

The eighth annual National Consumers Week will be recognized locally April 23 through April 29.

Romulus City Councilmembers approved a resolution Monday declaring the week-long recognition.

The event is coordinated nationally by the U.S. Office of Consumer Affairs.

"...the week (is) set aside to create an awareness of the importance of the consumer in the economy, to encourage an examination of consumer problems, and to offer an occasion for organizations to highlight their new and existing consumer programs," Patricia Faley, National Consumers Week chairwoman, said.

Locally, business people and community organizations are urged to develop programs recognizing consumers.

Mayor Beverly McAnally, who proposed the resolution, said she would like to see the Romulus Chamber of Commerce recognize consumers week. There is room for improvement in meeting the needs of Romulus shoppers, she said.

"I often think about some of the merchants who fail to stock what customers want and then complain bitterly when no one buys their merchandise," McAnally said.

"I see it as a two-way street. Not only should the consumer public be aware, but the marketplace," she said.

Race slated as annual
community event

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Serious runners, as well as beginners, will be welcome at the Romulus Community Pride 10-Kilometer Run and One-Mile Run/Walk this spring.

The events are part of the Romulus Community Festival - a week-long event in May which includes games, a carnival, entertainment and demonstrations.

The mile run/walk will start at 8:30 a.m. May 20 and the 10K run begins at 9 a.m.

For those interested in participating, now is the time to register, according to Nina Derda, Romulus race director for the Downriver Runners Club. Entry forms are available by calling Derda at 285-9318.

The Romulus race was first run seven or eight years ago, Derda said. Members of the running club have coordinated the event since 1987.

This will be the first year for the one-mile event.

"That should attract people who aren't heavily into exercise," Derda said.

More than 100 runners participated in the 10-K event last year, including residents of Ann Arbor, Belleville, Fowlerville, Madison Heights and Sterling Heights. Approximately 20 Romulus runners participated.

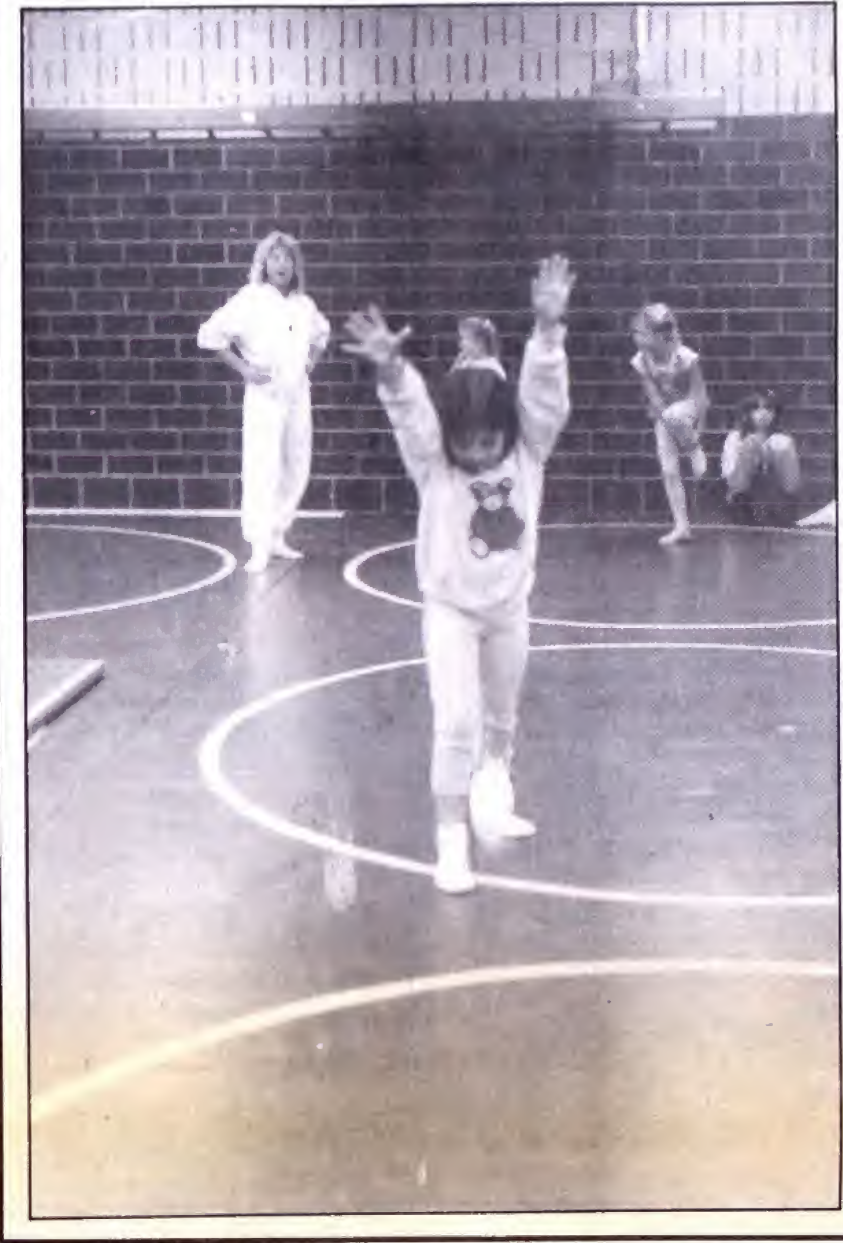
"If we can get people from that broad of an area we should get more people from Romulus," Derda said.

The Romulus Senior High School Band will perform in-

Barth parents fund
playground

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Members of the Barth Elementary School Parent Teacher Organization wanted improved playground equipment for their children this year, so they went out and



Future Olympic stars? Who knows? One way or the other, students of the weekly gymnastics class sponsored by the Romulus Recreation Department receive a good workout and have fun in the process. The class is offered every Thursday evening at the North Junior High School, on Wick Road. To start the class off, Melissa Phillips, Charice Phillips and Christina Weatherholt practiced some rather painful-looking stretching exercises (above). Later Natalie Proost (left) practiced cartwheels. ANP photos by Linda Day

Residents ask 'whodunnit'

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

A murder will be staged in Romulus May 12.

The murder will actually be part of a production staged by the Romulus Arts Council.

Those who attend the production will be asked to participate as the murder plot is revealed.

Local residents, business people and city officials will take part in the production. The mayor of Romulus, the superintendent of schools and two city councilmembers will have very important parts to play in the production, according to Alice Kesner, chairwoman for the council.

"About a year or 18 months ago I held a murder mystery at home," Kesner said.

The event was so well-received she decided it would make a great fundraiser for the arts council.

"They're so popular right now," Kesner said.

The play will be staged at 5 p.m. at the Detroit Metro Holiday Inn. Guests will be arranged in groups around tables.

"The person sitting next to you may be one of the actors," Kesner said.

Pat Ditch, a member of the arts council, wrote the play in an effort to avoid copyright costs.

Deadly Room Service is staged in May, 1945. The local Women's War Relief Fund hosts an auction for home-bound soldiers and their families. During the auction, a guest is murdered. From there, the guests must figure out who the culprit is.

"Everybody has a small part," Kesner said. "My role is to run around like a chicken with its head cut off making sure everybody is where they're supposed to be."

Finding someone to play the victim was especially challenging, Kesner said. She finally recruited her brother for the part. He is affectionately called "the stiff."

"I'm hoping everybody that has a part in the play will have a good time with it and really ham it up," Kesner said.

Mayor Beverly McAnally said she is looking forward to her role. She will portray a Red Cross worker.

"I think it's always fun when you can participate and show yourself on another level. Everything is always so serious," she said. "I'm sure it's going to be a huge success."

Prizes will be awarded to the team who solves the mystery first.

Tickets for the show are \$25 each, which includes dinner, snacks, non-alcoholic beverages and a cash bar. Tickets are selling fast.

For information, call 941-0476.

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Very important people

Local volunteers receive praises this week

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

This is a special week for all of those people who tirelessly devote their time to helping others. April 9 through 15 us National Volunteer Week.

Approximately 1.6 million people in metropolitan Detroit donate an average of 4.2 hours each week to volunteer efforts, according to statistics provided by The Center for Volunteerism of United Community Services of Metropolitan Detroit.

Nearly half of these volunteers are employed full time. Locally, numerous human service organizations value volunteer services, according to Karen Lizzamore, program specialist for The Center for

Volunteerism.

The Head Start program for the Wayne County Intermediate School District offers a wide range of volunteer opportunities.

Head Start is a federally-funded, educational pre-school program which serves foster, handicapped and low-income toddlers. Currently, the program services 2,230 young children in 21 nearby communities, said Eleanor Kostecki, parent volunteer coordinator.

"Last year our volunteers put in over 100,000 volunteer hours," Kostecki said.

In the Wayne/Westland program, an emphasis is placed on encouraging fathers to volunteer in the classroom or with special activities.

Inkster and Romulus prog-

rams offer volunteer opportunities to senior citizens who want to pose as foster grandparents to the children.

The Babes program in Romulus also provides volunteer opportunities.

"It's a way of teaching children to say no to drugs and alcohol," said Kathy Thiede, parent involvement coordinator for the Romulus program.

The last time the program was offered, a local volunteer regularly presented puppet shows to the children.

"She encouraged the children to talk with the puppet...it opened the channels of

communication," Thiede said.

Thiede said she tries to provide continuous support and recognition for all of her Head Start volunteers. Once a month, two volunteers from each classroom are recognized in the program newsletter.

"We try to let them know they're appreciated," Thiede said.

For those interested in volunteer service, The Center for Volunteerism has released the 1988-89 Volunteer Opportunities Guide, listing 343 human service organizations. To obtain a copy of the guide, call 226-9429.

CITY OF ROMULUS OFFER TO PURCHASE

BID #89-16
ITEM(S) HEATING/COOLING SYSTEM SERVICE CONTRACT

Sealed proposals on the above item(s) will be received in the Office of the City Clerk, 1111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 p.m., April 14, 1989. At that time said proposals will be publicly opened and read.

1) Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City, which may be obtained at the Office of the Purchasing Director, 1111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed with the Bid Number and Item.

2) The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities. Proposal guarantee in the amount of five (5%) percent of the bid will be required.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

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CITY OF ROMULUS NOTICE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Romulus City Council has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held on May 1, 1989 at 7:30pm at Romulus City Hall, 1111 Wayne Road, Romulus. The scheduled hearing will be regarding a proposed reallocation of 1987 CDBG Funds. The hearing is required under Wayne County Community Development Department and HUD guidelines when a reallocation of funds is proposed. The Community Development Department proposes to close out an existing project (Home Incentive Program) and transfer funds to the Wayne Road Senior Housing Project. A total of \$20,000 will be transferred to cover site preparation costs at said project. Any parties interested in the administration of the project and the transfer are invited to attend.

Dennis Oakes
Community Development Director

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City of Romulus

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May 4, 11, 18, 25

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PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS of the Michigan Drain Code, P.A. 40 of 1956 as Amended.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Determination, composed of three disinterested citizens appointed in accordance with law, will meet on May 15, 1989 at 6:00 P.M. at the Burton Drain, located at Savage Road and Martinsville Road in the City of Belleville. The Board of Determination shall view the Drain, and then continue its meeting at the Van Buren Township Hall, located at 46425 Tyler Road, Belleville, MI on May 15, 1989 at 8:00 P.M. to hear all interested persons and to determine whether the drain known as the Burton Drain, needs clean out and replacement of larger drain tile as prayed for in the Petition filed in accordance with law, dated April 30, 1988. After hearing the evidence presented, the Board of Determination, shall determine whether such clean out and replacement of larger drain tile is necessary and conducive to public health, convenience and welfare. Further, notice is given that the Board of Determination shall enter an appropriate order of its findings and shall file same all in accordance with the Provisions of the Michigan Drain Code.

Dated this 29th day of March 1989

JAMES E. MURRAY
Wayne County Drain Commissioner
415 Clifford, Detroit, MI 48226
(313) 224-3640

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Date of Ad: April 13 and 20, 1989

CITY OF ROMULUS OFFER TO PURCHASE

BID # 87-17
ITEM(S) Asphaltic Emulsion

Sealed proposals on the above item(s) will be received in the Office of the City Clerk, 1111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 p.m., April 20, 1989. At that time said proposals will be publicly opened and read.

1) Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City, which may be obtained at the Office of the Purchasing Director, 1111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed with the Bid Number and Item.

2) The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities. Proposal guarantee in the amount of five (5%) percent of the bid will be required.

Linda R. Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus

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MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD MARCH 27, 1989,

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m., by Mary Ann Banks, Mayor Pro Tem.

PRESENT: Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth

EXCUSED: Pennington

ABSENT: None

Administrative Officials in Attendance:
Beverly McAnally, Mayor
Linda R. Choate, Clerk
James L. Napierkowski, Treasurer

Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear, to accept the agenda as amended*
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-144

2A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Block, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held March 20, 1989, as presented.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-145

3A. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Block to concur with the request from PC Development Limited Partnership and issue a new Resort B Hotel License, at the Pickett Hotel located at 8600 Wickham Road.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-146

4A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Bergeron, to grant authorization to Michael E. Rosati, Attorney, Cummings, McCloy, Davis & Acho, P.C., to proceed as directed in the legal matter of Hester vs City of Romulus.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-147

Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear to adopt a resolution wishing Councilman Pennington a speedy recovery from an unfortunate accidental injury. A copy of said resolution in it's entirety is on file in the clerks office.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Motion by Bergeron, supported by Block to accept the Chairman's Report.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5A. Motion by Gear, supported by Block, to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Beverly McAnally and approve the consent agenda items 5A1 through 5A7 as follows:

89-148

5A1 to grant authorization to let bids for 1989 Dust Control Program, funds are available in account numbers #202-463.00-818.00 and 203-463.00-818.00.
89-149

5A2 to award Bid 89-8 (Pavement marking) to the lowest qualified bidder, Continental Contracting, Inc., for the total bid amount of Twelve thousand six hundred and thirty three dollars (\$12,633.00), funds are available in account #202-474.00-818.00 and account #203-474.00-818.00.
89-150

5A3. to award Bid 89-9 (Softballs) to the lowest qualified bidder, Park Athletic Supply, for the total amount of \$3,144.60, funds are available in account #101-691.00-730.00.
89-151

5A4. to award Bid 89-10 (T-Shirts and Hats) to the lowest qualified bidder, John Edwards Sales, for the total bid amount of One thousand one hundred eighty six dollars (\$1,186.00), funds are available in account #101-691.00-730.00.
89-152

5A5. to schedule a joint meeting with the Romulus Planning Commission on April 10, 1989 at 7:00 p.m., in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers for the purpose of reviewing and discussing the major elements of the master land use plan.
89-153

5A6. to grant authorization to waive the dumpster fees for the month of May, 1989 on Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. and Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
89-154

5A7. to introduce Budget Amendment C-88/89-18, to appropriate funds of the Pension Actuary previously approved by Council and to provide funds for Attorney fees, as follows:

FUND/DEPT.	ACCOUNT NO.	ACCOUNT NAME	CURRENT BUDGET	AMENDMENT	AMENDED BUDGET
101-941.00-959.000	Contingency		104,268	(35,000)	69,268
Unallocated					
101-299.00-818.000	Contractual Services		3,500	10,500	13,500
101-299.00-912.000	Attorney Fees/Labor Relations		44,000	25,000	69,000

5B. Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-155

Motion by Raspberry, supported by Gear, to approve the following recommendations for the 1989 Community Development Block Grant Funds:

Senior Housing	\$26,000	Site preparation for housing project
Youth Assistance	15,000	Continuation of Youth Assistance program in the City of Romulus
Minor Home Repair	13,000	Romulus Help Center/Senior Service in the City of Romulus
Recreation Dept.	11,000	Improving City Playground equipment
Building Dept.	11,000	Building demolitions in the city
Romulus Historical Society	3,000	Museum displays/showcases
Romulus Arts Council	2,000	City-wide Art Programs
Administration	9,000	Administration of CDBG Program
Subtotal	\$90,000	
Housing		
Rehabilitation	\$0.000	
(separate allocation)		
FY89 CDBG TOTAL	\$140.00	

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-156

5C. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Bergeron, to adopt the following resolution amending the current Recreation Plan

RECREATION PLAN AMENDMENT

WHEREAS: The City of Romulus is located in one of southeast Michigan's emerging growth areas, and;

WHEREAS: This continued growth will create an increased demand for recreation facilities and programs, and;

WHEREAS: The City has prepared an amendment to their 1986 Recreation Plan in response to changing conditions within the City and to serve as a guide to future expansion and development of the City's recreation facilities.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the City of Romulus adopts the Recreation Plan Amendment dated March, 1989.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the City of Romulus further supports submission of an application for grant funds from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for the acquisition of a site for an indoor recreation facility. The City of Romulus intends to undertake the acquisition of this site if the grant is awarded.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-157

5C1. Motion by Gear, supported by Wadsworth, to grant approval for Dennis Oakes, Community Development Director, to file a grant application with the Department of Natural Resources for indoor recreation site acquisition.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5D. NO ACTION

5E. NO ACTION

5F. NO ACTION

Motion by Block, supported by Wadsworth, to accept the Mayor's Report as presented by Mayor Beverly McAnally.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-158

6A. Motion by Gear, supported by Wadsworth, to adopt Budget Amendment C-88/89-17, as introduced in the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held March 20, 1989, by resolution number 89-131.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-159

6A2. Motion by Gear, supported Block, to concur with the recommendation from the Property Disposition Committee, pursuant to Chapter III, Article 6, Section 10 A, and accept the offer from William Pitula to purchase DP# 124-99-6 (19.00 acres) for \$1,000 per acre plus all closing costs and title work.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-160

6A21. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear, to concur with the recommendation from the Property Disposition Committee, pursuant to Chapter III, Article 6, Section 10A, and accept the even exchange of Lots 653 through 622 inclusive Supervisor's Romulus Plat No. 12, owned by Romulus Community Baptist Church for Lots 195, 196, 197 and 198 Romulus Urban Renewal Plat No. 1, owned by the

City of Romulus. Further that title work be acquired for both parcels of land at the city's expense.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-161

8. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Wadsworth, to concur with the request from the Tax Increment Finance Authority and adopt the proposed amendments to Wick Road Development Area, Tax Increment Financing and Development Plan, prepared with the assistance of McKenna Associates Incorporated, Revised February 21, 1989 and March 15, 1989.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-162

**8A. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Bergeron, to amend the resolution previously adopted to accept the agenda by including pending legal matters as agenda item #4A on Monday, March 27, 1989.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-163

9. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Gear, to forward a communication to Richard Jamison, Director of Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport requesting immediate action be taken to clean up trash and debris around the outer perimeter fence of Airport.
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.
89-164

11. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Gear, to approve payment of Warrant #89-06, in the grand total amount of Six hundred sixty three thousand five hundred ninety seven dollars and eighty three cents (\$663,597.83)
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Bergeron, to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Block, Gear, Raspberry, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus

I, Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held March 27, 1989.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL NEWS DIGEST

Journalists attend meeting

Student journalists at Romulus High School are planning to attend an April 17 press conference staged by representatives of Youth Living Centers.

The press conference will focus on child abuse prevention week as well as resources available to young people.

Planners of the event hope the young reporters will take what they learn at the conference and pass it along to their classmates, in the form of articles in the student newspaper.

Youth Living Centers operates the Counterpoint Runaway Shelter.

Junior prom is slated

The Romulus Senior High School Junior Prom will be staged Saturday at the school.

Only Romulus high school students will be admitted.

March of Dimes seminar staged

Students at Romulus Junior High School attended an informative assembly April 6, staged by the March of Dimes.

Representatives of the charity organization presented students with information about the group and offered fundraising tips.

Junior high students will participate in Walk America, sponsored by the March of Dimes April 30.

Conferences are slated

Parent/teacher conferences will be staged at Romulus Junior High School Wednesday.

Students will be dismissed from school at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday.

Conference times are available from 12:30 to 4 p.m. and from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. For additional information, call the school. 4116f8

Merriman youth are praised

Students of the month for March were recently named at Merriman Elementary School, in Romulus. The honorees were recognized for their academic achievements, as well as their behavior. Honored were the following students:

First grade - Dennis Land-skroener, Denesha Williams, Michelle Barley, Nartisha Donald, Amanda Alescu and Jenny McLaughlin.

Second grade - Cherron Dotson, Jason McConnell, Chris Quarrels, and Kevin Banks.

Third grade - Cherie McKinney, Jamie McLaughlin, Mary Ashley, and James Lewis.

Fourth grade - Nicole Young, Deanda Harper, Amanda Roddy, and Robert Stephens.

Fifth grade - Michael Curtis, Sara Stopera, Rodney Zundel and Beth King.

Sixth grade - Bob Poore, Tonjia Peterson, Stephanie Vit and Becky Riewe.

Poster contest promotes Rouge

Sixth-, seventh- and eighth-graders are eligible to enter a contest to promote Rouge River cleanup efforts. The theme for the contest is "The Rouge River - Yours to Protect."

Entries must be no larger than 18 by 12 inches and must be sent or delivered to: Friends of the Rouge, 300 Fair Lane Drive, Dearborn, Mich. 48128. For more information, call 271-6670. Deadline is noon April 21.

Compiled by BARBARA WILSON

Romulus teens battle drugs

By FLORENCE MECKS
ANP Staff Writer

Two Romulus high school students have decided to take an active role in promoting drug- and alcohol-free lifestyles.

They attended a rally to kick-off Project Graduation, a program encouraging teens to celebrate end-of-the year parties without drugs and alcohol. Approximately 2,500 students from Southeast Michigan attended.

Lakeisha Heard, a junior, and senior Pam King represented Romulus Senior High School at the rally.

Most of the day was spent listening to real-life horror stories about people whose lives were ruined or snuffed out by substance abuse. The message rang loud and clear.

"They told us about drug-related deaths," Heard said. "They had people talk about family and friends who were killed."

Although Heard does not drink or experiment with drugs, she said the rally had an impact on her.

"It was sad to listen to the stories. It shows I made the right decision," she said.

It made you think a lot,"

King added. "It was just really sad."

Many of the stories at the rally referred to deaths caused by drunken driving. After hearing these stories, both Heard and King said they would say something before letting a friend drive while intoxicated.

"Sometimes you see somebody, and you think, 'They did drive. They're lucky they didn't kill somebody,'" King said.

Heard and King, along with most of the rally participants, were selected to attend the rally because of their leadership qualities.

Both girls attended a leadership class last semester and that is where they first learned of the rally and Project Graduation.

Heard is an active member of Distributive Education Clubs of America. King was the vice president of student government during her freshman year and was elected as homecoming queen earlier this school year.

Heard and King said they hope to deliver the Project Graduation message to their classmates as senior celebrations and summer parties begin.



Romulus Senior High School students Lakeisha Heard and Pam King take their fight against drug and alcohol abuse seriously. The two student leaders recently met with other students from across the state to discuss methods of educating their classmates. King and Heard met with WDIV-TV personalities Carmen Harlan (above) and Cuck Gaidica at the kick-off meeting for Project Graduation. ANP photo by Florence Meeks



Students score at Olympiad

Members of the class of 1989 at Romulus Senior High School are anxiously awaiting end-of-the-year activities.

This is a time for seniors to reflect on their educational experience and on the friendships which have flourished. It is also a time for difficult decisions about the future.

At any rate, there are plenty of activities in store for Romulus seniors before they leave behind their high-school years.

- Seniors will take their final examinations June 1 and 2.

- June 2 will be the last day of classes for seniors, as teachers collect the grades for all of the potential graduates.

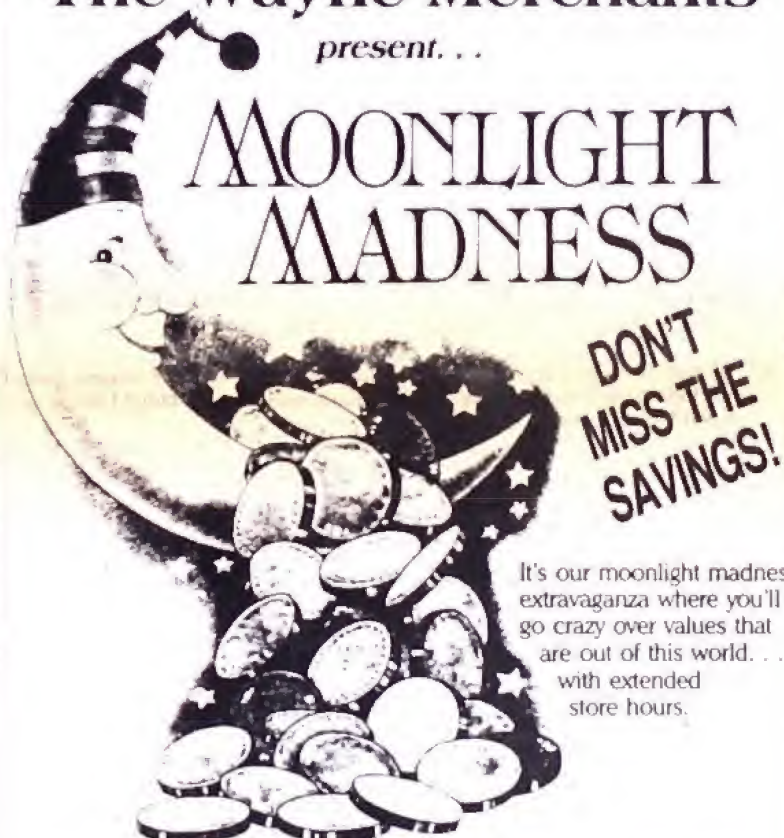
- Advisors to the class are hoping the skies are clear and blue June 3, as seniors enjoy their class picnic.

- Finer clothes will be in order June 7 for the senior prom.

- Seniors are expected at the school at 2 p.m. June 9 for graduation rehearsal.

- Finally, seniors will bid adieu to their alma mater June 11, as they participate in graduation ceremonies.

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Schools: Finance-reform plan still inefficient, educators say

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Yet another proposal has surfaced to help pump more money into the ailing Michigan school system. And, once again, local school officials are not rushing to back it.

The proposal, offered by John Thodis, president of the Michigan Manufacturers Association, asks state lawmakers to consider a one-half cent increase in the state sales tax, boosting it from 4 to 4.5 cents. All of the additional money

would go to schools, according to the proposal.

Unlike previous school-finance-reform packages, the Thodis proposal offers no relief to property or business owners from property taxes. Three unsuccessful school-finance-reform bills included a substantial reduction in property taxes – up to 40 percent – as an incentive to gain voter support.

Allen Short, director of Government Affairs for the Michigan Education Association – the umbrella, statewide teachers' union – believes the

new education package is inefficient.

"The problem is that the half-cent sales-tax increase doesn't address the property-tax issue. They have rejected all of our proposals, so there is really no proposals on the table right now. As I see it, education is in deep trouble in this state," Short said.

The Thodis proposal would require approval from Michigan voters, if it were sanctioned by state lawmakers.

Thodis, author of the new proposal, believes that, if the voters approve the sales-tax in-

crease, it would generate an estimated \$400 million new dollars for education.

State Sen. Ed Fredricks (R-Lansing), who is believed to have orchestrated the defeat of a previous reform bill, said that, if the proposal had been implemented, the legislature could set the total sales tax at 5.99 percent. Only two cents of that would have to go to education – as it currently does, Fredricks said.

Some lawmakers, such as state Sen. William Faust (D-Westland), are concerned that proposals linked to reduction of

property taxes – the mainstay of public-school financing – would also jeopardize present tax-increment-finance authorities. TIFAs are used by municipalities to finance road, sewer and lighting improvements, with the hopes of attracting future developments to the area.

The potential harm to TIFAs, Faust said, is the reason he has rejected past reform packages.

Nevertheless, state lawmakers are continuing to develop a reform bill that would be acceptable to the voters of the state and that will end what

they believe are per-pupil-spending inequities in the present system.

Currently, some school districts – located in wealthy property areas, such as Bloomfield Hills, Birmingham and Dearborn – spend as much as \$7,000 per student. Poorer school districts spend only \$2,000 per student.

Officials from several local school districts – including Romulus, Belleville, Huron and Wayne-Westland – have joined to file a lawsuit that challenges the present school-finance system.

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Romulus resident Mary Ellen Miller (right) took advantage of the health screenings being offered through Project Health-O-Rama last week. Miller participated in the event staged at the Westland Medical Center. The massive effort designed for anyone 18 or older to utilize free of charge offers basic health tests for height and weight, blood pressure, vision, glaucoma and counseling and referral. Special services are also offered at individual centers. Local Health-O-Rama sites and program dates include Beyer Memorial Hospital, Ypsilanti, April 22; Henry Ford Medical Center, Plymouth, April 22; Oakwood Belleville/Belleville High School, April 15; Starkweather Center, Plymouth, April 18; Westland Center, April 13 and 14; and Wonderland Mall, Livonia, April 18, 19 and 20. For specific information, call the Project Health-O-Rama hotline, 424-8600. ANP photo by Barbara Wilson

Failing grade

President's school plan rejected locally

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Nationally, President George Bush's \$425 million proposal to upgrade the U.S. school system received mixed reviews by educators. Locally, school superintendents have given the package an "F".

Educators stressed that the package failed to meet the needs of schools today.

Typical of the remarks expressed by local educators were the comments by Dr. William Bedell, superintendent of the Romulus Community Schools.

"Generally, the President's proposals are typical of the Reagan-Bush years," Bedell said. "They are all glitter, frills. They lack substance in dealing with the realities of the crisis in our schools today."

"This school district, like many others," Bedell continued, "needs solid and basic financing. No glitter. No frills. Bush's proposals are but a drop in a bucket in a stormy sea that is engulfing our educators and teachers, who are trying to keep their heads above water."

"If Bush wants to give merit teachers \$5,000, that's great. However, that doesn't do anything to help my classroom size. He wants magnet schools or schools of choice. And that's also a smoke screen. Both the governor and Bush have proposed this (schools of choice) so that hopefully people will not notice they have neglected education."

Bush's education package was unveiled April 5 during a tribute to the 1989 national recipient of the "Teacher of the Year" award. Mary Bicouvaris, of Hampton, Va., netted the honor.

The Bush proposals, which need congressional approval, recommend the following:

- \$25 million be set aside for grants to schools that have serious drug problems;
- The magnet school or school of choice program would receive \$100 million;
- About \$250 million would go

to the top U.S. schools, in the form of merit grants;

- To the black colleges and universities across the nation, \$10 million is proposed;
- \$25 million would be allocated to the individual states to help improve teacher-certification programs;
- \$5 million also would be set aside for scholarships for seniors who have proven ta-

lents in science and mathematics; and

- Outstanding U.S. teachers would be the recipients of \$5 million to encourage and recognize their efforts in the classrooms.

Dr. Equilla Bradford, superintendent of the Westwood schools, also felt that the President's proposal "was a joke"

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Federal funds more than expected

By BARBARA WILSON
ANP News Editor

Local communities are receiving a few more federal-revenue-sharing dollars than anticipated this year.

Communities in the 12th state Senate District are already beginning to see a 4.6- to 8.8-percent increase in federal revenue-sharing payments from what was earlier expected, according to state Sen. William Faust (D-Westland).

The funds are from the federal government and are administered by the state Department of Management and Budget. The amount of money received by each community is

based on sales tax and income-tax collections in the communities, population and several other factors, according to Faust. Thus, the amount of funds and the percentage of increase are different for each community.

"If the city administration really stays on top of tax collections, they will receive more money," Faust said.

In addition to the unexpected revenue increase in 1989, federal-revenue sharing projections for 1990 indicate a 3-percent increase, Faust said.

"The funds are distributed to communities on a quarterly basis," Faust said. "Communities are seeing an increase in

their current payments."

The revenue-sharing monies are used by communities to support local programs or projects. They can be used in any way, Faust said.

Projected 1989 state revenue sharing payments include the following:

- Belleville - \$247,400;
- Flat Rock - \$515,600;
- Huron Township - \$578,300;
- Romulus - \$1.6 million;
- Sumpter Township - \$622,000;
- Van Buren Township - \$1.1 million;
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- Westland - \$6.2 million.

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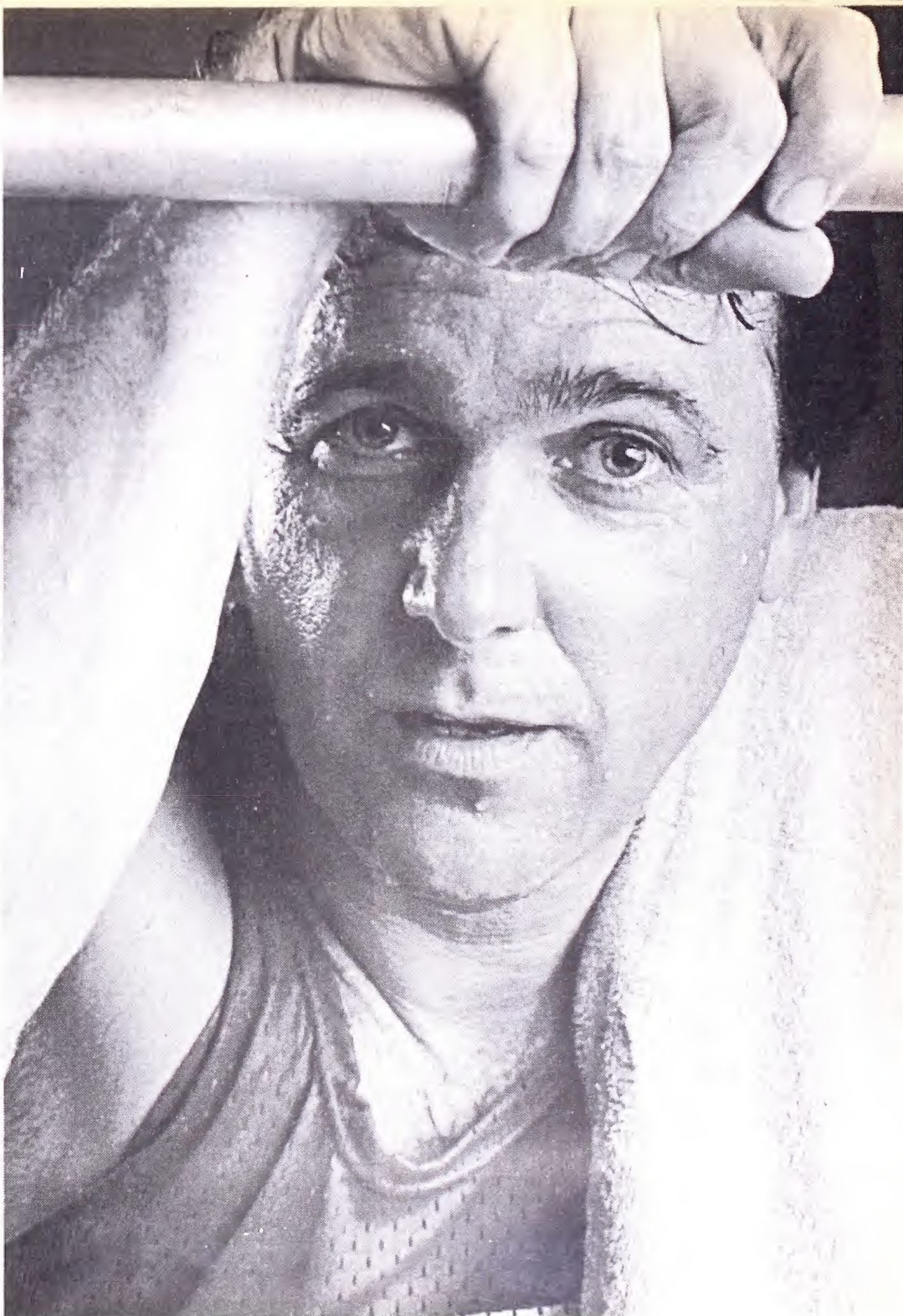
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SOLID WASTE

Alternatives are key to the future

Editor's note: This is part III in our 11-part, year-long series we're calling "Community Concerns." This week, we focus on the western Wayne County solid-waste problem.

In January, we asked residents and leaders what they were most worried about during 1988. The 11 most frequent answers – problems – became our list of "Community Concerns."

Each month, we focus on one of those 11 concerns, explore the problem, explain what is being done to combat it and describe what you can – or can't – do to help.

In the four stories below, we have provided existing solutions to the solid-waste dilemma.

The seven-week "barge odyssey" – during which a garbage-laden scow sailed from port to port seeking a dumping place for its cargo of New York trash – marked the beginning of public awareness of the impending solid waste crisis.

Until mid-1987, the majority of Americans seemed unaware of the collective problems posed by the 25 pounds of trash generated weekly by each American – a problem, which has been predicted to increase annually by 22 percent if waste disposal alternatives are not implemented.

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A 'throw away' society

Each American today generates approximately 25 pounds of trash each week, according to an Environmental Protection Agency study. Most of the solid-waste generated is in the form of paper packaging from consumer goods.

A breakdown of the percentage amount of waste produced follows.

CONSUMER PRODUCT	PERCENT OF ALL WASTES
Paper packing, cardboard	18.6%
Yard wastes	17.1%
Food	17.0%
Magazines, newspapers	11.1%
Glass	7.9%
Plastics	7.3%
Metals, cans, foil	5.3%
Wood, fabric	4.1%
Diapers	3.6%
Other *	8.0%

* Other includes dirt and unrecognizable materials
SOURCE: The Garbage Project, University of Arizona

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At the same time the amount of solid waste is increasing, current landfill sites

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LANDFILLS

By JIM RINK
ANP Staff Writer

Gary Shockey loves showing people around his landfill. Well, it's not his landfill, but Shockey is site manager of Woodland Meadows Recycling and Disposal Facility, a Waste Management Company in the southeast corner of Canton Township.

Shockey is proud of his 95-acre landfill.

Gone are the days when you piled your garbage into the Chevy station wagon and headed to the nearest dump. Now, garbage is called "solid waste," and dumps have been transformed into landfills, strictly controlled, environmentally safe final resting places for solid waste.

"Canton residents have no idea where we're located," Shockey said. "To me, that's good news. We don't have an odor problem or a litter problem."

Woodland Meadows is divided into a series of eight-acre "cells," with each cell containing approximately 1 million cubic yards of solid waste.

Workers at Woodland are in the process of constructing their last cell. All the others have been filled. Most cells are approximately 30 feet deep, according to Shockey. The entire process requires constant supervision and approval from the department of natural resources.

At the bottom of the cell, workers install a 12-foot drainage blanket of washed stone. Leachate collection pipes are placed on top of the stone to collect the liquid by-products of solid waste. The leachate is pumped through collection pipes into the Wayne County sewer system.

The walls of each cell are lined with 12-foot wide berms of clay. An average cell can reach as high as 40 feet.

Once the cell is filled with solid waste, it must be capped with three feet of clay, topsoil and grass.

At intervals along the capped landfill, pipes mark the spots where natural methane gas is pumped into a central collection site and vented.

Woodland officials will soon be constructing a gas-recovery facility to transfer the gas to a local customer. They are currently negotiating with a large company in Wayne interested in purchasing the methane gas.

When garbage trucks enter the landfill to dump their solid waste, they are monitored by two cameras stationed at the entrance of the landfill. The cameras allow workers inside the landfill office to prevent carriers from dumping metal drums, sludge or liquids. Woodland is not licensed to handle hazardous waste.

Six large scrapers on the site dig the cells. Each day, the solid waste is covered with six inches of soil after being compacted by large machines.

Managing a sanitary landfill is like trying to control the federal deficit. The solid waste keeps coming in, but the landfill keeps shrinking.

"Ninety-five percent of all solid waste ends up in a landfill," Shockey said. "We've buried a lot of stuff that has a reusable life. There are basically three choices – recycling, incineration or landfill. Landfill is the least acceptable."

Shockey said recycling and incineration techniques are preferable to the landfill solution. Approximately 35 percent of all solid waste can be recycled, he said, and a properly built incinerator should not create hazardous emissions.

"We're always going to have landfills," Shockey said, "but it's going to be everybody's job to get as much out of the waste stream as possible through recycling and incineration."

Shockey estimated that his landfill has approximately 1.7 years of useful life left, although Waste Management officials are exploring several avenues to extend the life of the landfill.

A proposal by Wayne Disposal, Inc., to build a 120-acre landfill due west of Woodland is currently under consideration by county officials.

Until the day when Canton Township receives a new landfill, Gary Shockey will be glad to take your solid waste and maybe even give you a tour of the facility. He regularly gives presentations on recycling at area schools. After all, we've come a long way since the days of the dump.

RECYCLING

By BARBARA WILSON
ANP News Editor

For years, environmentalists have been encouraging Americans to recycle, rather than throw away. They have preached of the dangers of the "throw-away society" we have become.

Today, many of the problems predicted by these environmentalists have become realities.

A shortage of land is making it difficult to accommodate sufficient landfills. Residents fear the possible health threats of incinerator ash. And those interested in the environment fear the demise of forests, as a result of growing paper needs.

While recycling may never solve all of our solid-waste problems, it may be the cleanest and healthiest way to handle a considerable portion of our throwaways, according to recycling officials.

A typical American will generate enough garbage in his lifetime to equal at least 600 times his own weight, according to studies by Worldwatch. About 60 percent of that waste is recyclable.

"We have had really good response from residents," said Gary Shockey, site manager at the Woodland Meadows Recycling and Disposal Facility, in Wayne. "Quite a few people drop off things to be recycled, especially white goods (appliances)." Woodland Meadows is operated by Waste Management of North America, Inc.

While the response to recycling has been good, Shockey said, not enough people are taking advantage of recycling. "I think it is a matter of educating the public," Shockey said.

Education efforts are currently under way in several area schools. Students are learning of the dire need to control solid waste and are putting into practice methods of reducing their own personal contribution to the problem.

Recycling requires a few lifestyle changes, Shockey admitted. But learning to deal with those changes now will make any transition in the future less taxing.

Goods to be recycled must be properly sorted and cleaned and taken to a drop-off station. From there, they are sent to recycling facilities, where they are crushed, shredded and processed. The product can then be used again.

Cleaning and sorting the items requires some time and thought at home. Most people don't even think about throwing away a detergent bottle or a ketchup bottle. It takes a little more thought, however, when recycling these items. They must be cleaned, and all labels must be removed. Newspapers must be sorted, removing magazines and glossy advertisements from the pile, bundled and then must be stored until they can be taken to the recycling facility.

The time and effort involved in taking the items to the proper recycling facility is also a burden for some. There are not many facilities available in the area.

Officials from the Conference of Western Wayne are currently discussing plans for an area-wide recycling effort, according to Plymouth Township Supervisor Maurice Breen, coordinator for the CWW solid waste committee.

While the CWW is not charged with establishing such a system, officials of it may be instrumental in devising a plan for member communities.

In Plymouth Township, Breen said, a solid-waste coordinator has been hired. Township officials will be studying the possibility of curb-side pickup of recyclable items, thus eliminating one of the burdens on the resident.

Shockey expects similar programs to be the wave of the future for recycling.

Currently, there are two recycling locations for residents of western Wayne County – Woodland Meadows and Canton Recycling.

Woodland Meadows, on Van Born Road, between Hannan and Haggerty, accepts newspapers (in bundles), corrugated cardboard, glass, white goods (appliances), aluminum and plastic (the heavy variety, not food containers).

Canton Recycling, on Van Born Road, between Haggerty and Lilley, accepts aluminum, car parts (no tires), used oil, concrete, paint, white goods (appliances), newspapers (in bundles), scrap metal, batteries and corrugated cardboard.

BURNING

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Although incineration remains a key method for reducing residential solid waste in Wayne County, questions exist as to possible environmental dangers it might pose.

Currently, two incinerators for large-scale use exist in the county, the Central Wayne County Sanitation Authority, in Dearborn Heights, and the Greater Detroit Resource Recovery Authority, in Detroit.

The process of incineration has come a long way in recent years, according to Lynn Fiedler, senior engineer of the permit section of the Department of Natural Resources Air Quality Division. "Units installed in the '50s were basic garbage burners," she said. "Today, there's a lot more involved in the design...the incinerators are designed to provide the best situation for combustion."

A major safety precaution put into use at incinerators involves preheating. Incinerators must be at operating temperature, 1,800 degrees, before waste is introduced. Low temperatures create prime environments for the creation of harmful chemicals such as dioxins, Fiedler said.

The threat of dioxins being released, or other harmful emissions, is a major complaint against incineration. The other concern is ash.

"The problem is incinerator ash is a residue...materials not easily combusted," said Brad Venman, supervisor of the DNR Waste Characteristic Unit.

Although incinerators are strictly used for household and office waste, metals such as chromium and lead are commonly found in incinerator ash. Discarded batteries are a large source of such metals, Venman said.

When ash is tested, it is combined with an acidic solution to simulate a landfill atmosphere with decomposing garbage. Then the amount of heavy metals "leached out" are rated.

Last week, tests on ash from the Detroit plant were determined to be hazardous by DNR officials. Lead and calcium levels above standards set by the DNR were discovered.

"It's a much more expensive proposition," Venman said.

OTHERS

By JOAN MARY DYER
Belleville City Editor

A 'landfill may seem to be an unlikely site for the growing of herbs and specialty salad greens, but Willow Run Farms of Van Buren Township has utilized the economical energy source to fuel its operation and – in doing so – is providing an innovation that could be adopted in landfills across the nation.

Basil, chives, cilantro and specialty lettuces are grown at the Willow Run Farms greenhouse, located adjacent to the Wayne Disposal Landfill on I-94 and Rawsonville Road. The products are grown in a soil-less environment with seeds planted in small cubes and nourished by nutrients which flow through the rows of channels in the 45,000-square-foot greenhouse.

The technique, hydroponics, depends on a constant flow of water, thus making it more sensitive than conventional methods of greenhouse planting, said grower/manager James Quinn. If the plants are deprived of their nutrient-enriched water supply for even a short period of time, he said, a critical situation will develop. Thus, a dependable energy source – as well as an economical one – is important to the operation of the greenhouse.

The greenhouse is fueled by methane gas, which forms from the decomposition of landfill wastes. By collecting and converting the landfill gas into electricity plus recovering waste heat from cooling radiators, the company has built a highly integrated cogeneration system under the direction of Wayne Energy Recovery, Inc.

Lights and all electrical equipment are fueled – through generators – from the landfill gas. During the winter months, the greenhouse is warmed by heaters which have been modified to burn the methane gas.

Quinn said the landfill-produced fuel is an economical advantage in Michigan where high utility costs often limit the greenhouse industry. He believes other greenhouse operations could be established using landfill gases as an economical energy source.

Waste

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are being filled to capacity and methods are being sought to reduce the amount of wastes through recycling, reusing and incineration.

Following a recycling study trip to Europe, state Rep. James Kosteva (D-Canton Township), reported to the Conference of Western Wayne that most of the communities utilized "an integrated approach involving recycling, composting, waste-to-energy and land-filling the remainder."

The most ideal composting program for the state, the study group said, would be an integrated project similar to one in West Germany. This system would involve a source separation program — a seven container system for glass, paper, metal, plastic household hazardous waste, organic compostables (food and yard wastes) and remaining refuse. The basic concept would be to divert as much of the recyclable material as possible before composting the remaining organic material, and — if a waste energy system is available — incinerate the balance with only the ash residue and rejects being landfilled. According to the group study, landfilling is an integral part of any solid waste management program, but it wastes valuable resources and energy and, consequently, should be the last option of choice for disposing of solid wastes.

Many communities are working on recycling programs as they seek to reduce their volume of solid waste by 75 percent to comply with the Wayne County Solid Waste Plan. The county plan calls for communities to have a county-approved waste reduction plan by Jan. 1, 1991, or forfeit its rights to dump garbage in Wayne County. Further, the plan calls for communities to work actively to implement their plans by Jan. 1, 1993 and would ban dumping within the county for any community which has not reached the 75 percent reduction by 2000. In the interim, the plan would allow a limited number of new landfills.

In 1983, 88.5 percent of the county waste was landfilled, 1.5 percent was incinerated and the balance was recycled, reused or composted. Although the county had planned to reduce landfilling to 50 percent in 1988, Wayne County is currently landfilling 85 percent of its wastes and incinerating 5 percent.

"Like many other communities in Michigan," said Van Buren Township Waste Management Director Edward Delhagen, "Van Buren Township is turning to recycling to reduce its volume of waste. By recycling, one enhances rather than decreases one's quality of life. In fact, failure to incorporate recycling into the home, office or leisure life is tantamount to biting the hand that feeds you."

Delhagen has proposed a recycling collection center for newspapers, cardboard, cans and for clear, brown and green glass. For several months, collection sites throughout the township hall have gathered scrap paper for recycling.

In the first four months we collected 1,800 pounds of waste paper for recycling, and received a return for the paper instead of paying a fee to dump it. Since December, we've gathered between one and one-half to double the amount. This, too, will be recycled and we'll receive a payment for it rather than paying to dump it," Delhagen said, commenting on the first phase of the township recycling effort.

Statewide cleanup scheduled in May

Spring cleaning will take on new meaning later this month when Annual Clean-Up Days, in Michigan, begin.

The statewide cleanup effort will take place April 22 through May 20. The event is sponsored by Keep Michigan Beautiful, Inc.

Citizens can participate by disposing of litter and rubbish, preserving the environment and beautifying their homes and communities.

Clean-Up Days is also a time for communities and organizations promoting the environment to receive recognition.

Awards are presented each October.

Gas guzzlers

Oil spill, proposed tax hike pump prices

By THOMAS M. VARCIE
ANP Staff Writer

Gasoline prices have increased 7.5 cents per gallon locally from two weeks ago and more than 10 cents per gallon statewide, due to a massive oil spill in Prince William Sound, Ala.

Local motorists were the first to notice the price hikes.

Approximately 11 million gallons of oil leaked into the water from the tanker *Exxon Valdez*, causing gasoline prices to skyrocket nationwide.

Last week, local and state price-increases were studied in a week-long AAA Michigan survey of state gasoline service-stations, according to Neal Haldane, spokesman from AAA Michigan.

Believed to be triggered by the Exxon tanker oil-spill and production cutbacks by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, gas prices surveyed at 100 Detroit-area service stations and 300 statewide have increased dramatically, Haldane said. AAA Michigan surveys have been conducted weekly since 1979.

"We found last week the price increase was phenomenal. This was the largest one-week increase since we started doing the surveys," Haldane said. "Normally, we see an increase of a cent or two but never like this."

Unleaded and leaded gas prices locally jumped from 92.4

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— Neal Haldane
AAA Michigan

cents per gallon two weeks ago to 99.9 cents last week.

The averages include prices of fuel at self- and full-service gas stations, Haldane said.

Many local gas prices are at or are near the \$1.04 mark. The last time prices were that high was February 1986, Haldane said. A further increase is expected, as warmer weather approaches, which typically causes such an increase.

Nevertheless, Chris Matuszewski, manager of Ford and Haggerty Shell service station, in Canton Township, believes the price increases will not continue.

"The stations around here have all increased 10 to 12 cents. But I think the price increase is done. There might be a little increase with summer approaching, but the major increases are done," Matuszewski said.

"All the oil that spilled can be saved. If it stays atop the water and doesn't become agitated or go to surfaces, then it can be saved. It may have to be refined a little, but it can be saved," Matuszewski continued.

In addition to the price hikes attributed to the oil spill, a proposed tax hike on state gasoline could push the per-gallon costs of fueling the car even higher.

A series of bills, dubbed "Rebuild Michigan," has been introduced in the state House of Representatives. The bills call for a 3 cent increase per gallon in gasoline taxes.

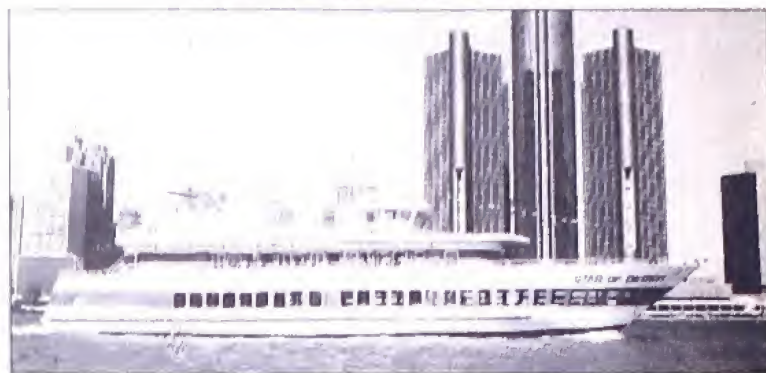
It would be the first state gasoline tax-hike since 1984.

Proposed is a 2 cent increase, plus a 1 cent per-gallon hike on Michigan-refined petroleum products or petroleum shipped to the state. The plan would reportedly generate approximately \$152 million in new revenues.

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The proposal is still pending in the state House of Representatives.

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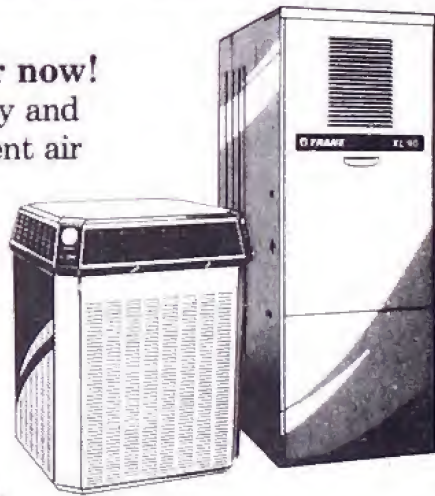
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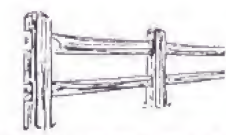
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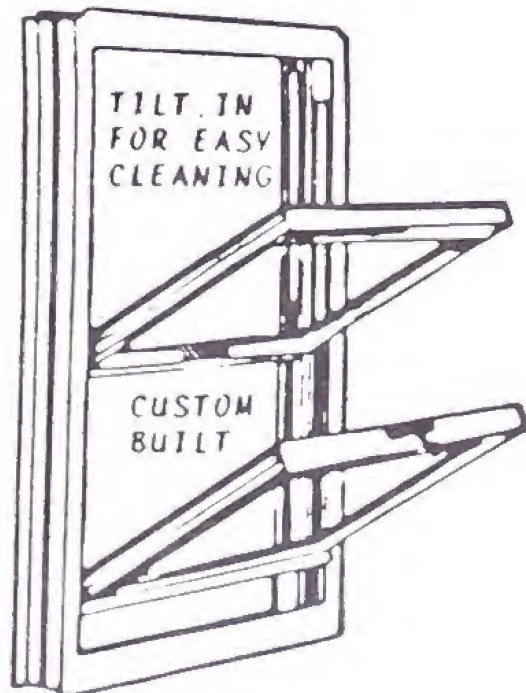
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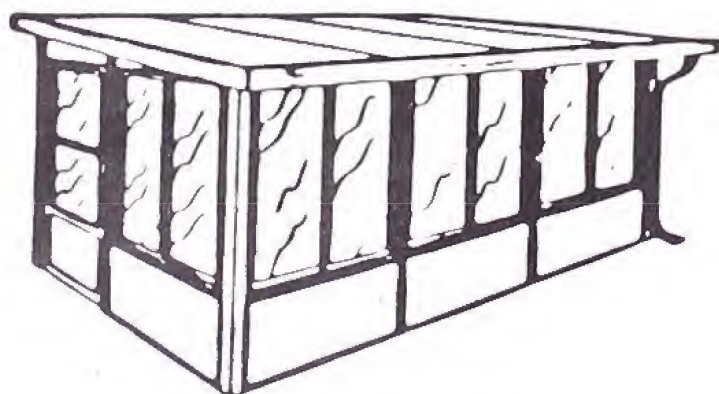
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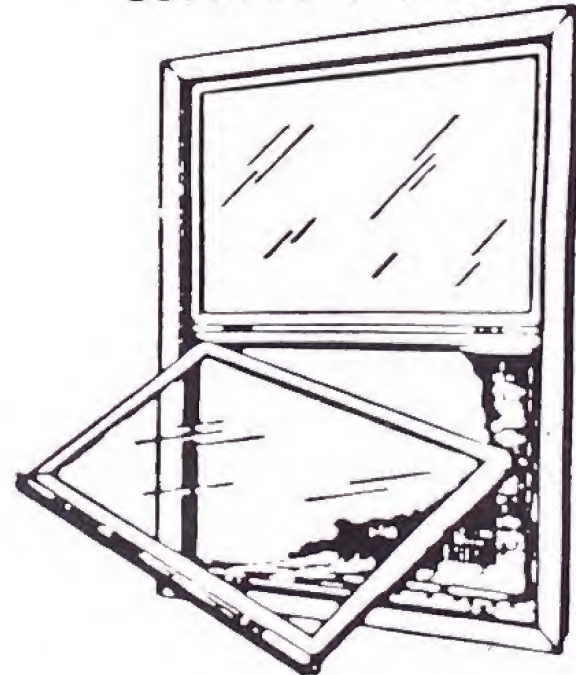
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Opinion

Sales tax hike no education cure-all

One-half of a penny doesn't buy much in the consumer market today. A 1/2 cent hike in sales tax won't buy much relief, either, in the public schools of tomorrow.

That, we believe, is simple logic.

State lawmakers are again trying to resurrect an idea that simply cannot be saved. This week, school-finance-reform proposals calling for a 1/2 cent hike in the state sales tax and a package tied to an increase in the statewide tax on gasoline have made their debut in and around the hallways of the state Capitol.

We can only ask - How many times must school-finance-reform packages tied to the state sales tax be defeated before lawmakers return to the drawing board - as they should have two proposals ago?

We're applauding several of our local lawmakers and educators who have seen through the veil of "more dollars for education" promises by state and federal leaders and have opposed weak school-finance-reform plans again and again.

We were also elated to hear that another of our local school districts - the Wayne-Westland Community Schools - has joined a class-action lawsuit against the state to spur immediate action and answers to the problem of funding public education.

But one fact remains. We have all agreed that the funding of public education in Michigan is unfair. Why are students attending the "wealthier" school districts receiving almost \$7,000 in annual per-pupil spending, when students attending districts not blessed with hefty home values forced to swallow an education that is valued at little more than \$2,000 per pupil, per year?

And why are we - more than one year after the idea was first introduced - still debating the issue and giving up any hope that public-education funding will change in the near future?

Last week, we even heard our president unveil an education package that lacks any evidence of solid planning and forethought before it was introduced. The \$425 million package President George Bush announced seems like a joke when one considers that the annual operating budget of the Wayne-Westland schools - one of the largest of our local districts - is more than \$76 million.

Is it not obvious that \$425 million can do little to solve a national problem?

Back at home, state lawmakers are haggling over education plans that promise \$500 million in new annual education dollars for the state. Is such a plan worthy of the time and attention it is being given? Can \$500 million solve our education woes?

We admit that there is no magical answer. But state lawmakers must swallow the defeat of what they thought were answers in the past and return to square one.

Again, we urge and challenge each of our local lawmakers to stage a local forum to gather citizens' input into the public-education problem. If each state lawmaker brought the school-finance problem home to his constituents, the ideas generated would - at the least - be helpful in developing a plan that could work.

It seems illogical that school officials are being forced to sue the state to spur action on the school-finance problem. It seems illogical that approximately \$2,800 per district in local tax dollars must be used to support such a suit, when everyone admits that an education-funding problem exists.

Is it, then, logical that state lawmakers should return to the drawing boards and develop a plan that really works?

We are willing to bet a 1/2 cent or two that it would be.

Solid waste needs look

If you have read this far, you are to be commended. You are among the few people who have not selectively prohibited the term "solid waste" from entering the vocabulary.

You are also among those who will have the last laugh when knowledge of the term becomes mandatory in the everyday local lifestyle.

This week, we have focused on the solid-waste problem in western Wayne County (page A-8). We have offered alternatives, viewpoints and facts.

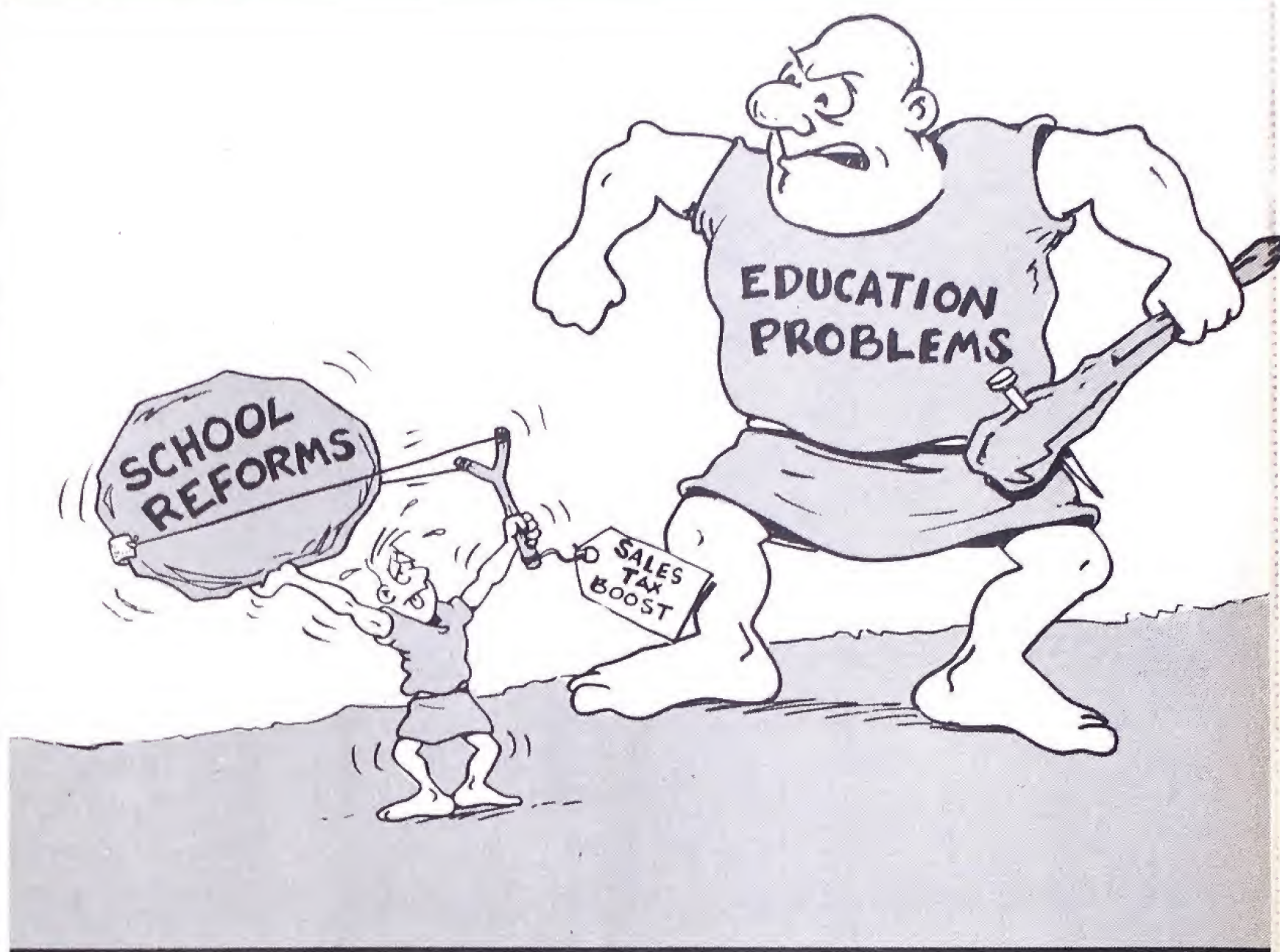
Now, we need your support.

Solid waste is not a term that will fade like a fad of the 1960s. Solid waste - landfills, recycling, incineration - is here to stay.

We know it. You know it. Others need to know, too.

Again, we laud your interest in solid-waste education. Now, we challenge you to educate a friend. Become active in a local recycling program.

Learn how you can prepare for the day - in the not too distant future - when "solid waste" is required reading.



Assessments are tax hikes

How can we allow our city fathers to increase our tax assessments sky high like they did this year?

Surely, they must realize that senior citizens on a fixed income cannot continue to afford tax increases like this.

Let us protest these assessments by sending a tea bag to our state lawmakers or our city fathers.

Ted Donal
Westland

Student fears program cuts

I am a third-grade student at Tyler Elementary School. There is a vote coming for the Van Buren Public Schools.

They want to raise the millage. If parents do not vote "yes," we will not have the following: gym, art, music, library or the gifted and talented program.

I work very hard in school. Shouldn't I and other kids who work hard get their specials?

Today's child is tomorrow's adult.

Amy S. Rick
Belleville

Solid waste is top local concern

This letter is a response to your invitations in the March 29, 1989, issue of *The Belleville En-*

LETTERS

terprise, "Landfill meeting slated."

The following are our concerns and opinions on the proposed expansion of the Waste Management of Michigan Canton Township landfill into Van Buren Township, south of Van Buren Road. I know that most, if not all, of our neighbors share the same concerns and opinions.

- The landfill poses a potential health hazard. Pollution of the air, contamination of ground water, etc.

- A significant reduction to the large investment we have in our homes and businesses. Who, in their right minds, would opt to move into a community of landfills?

- We already have a toxic landfill in Van Buren Township. Another landfill would only add to our reputation of being a garbage community. This impacts negatively on all of Van Buren Township.

William F. Houlihan
Ruth A. Houlihan
Belleville

We're losing grip on quality schools

Finally, it becomes clear as the "Committee to Bash Education" moves back into the spotlight that their goal is the destruction of our public schools. They do not seek to improve, except by tearing down.

Working from the same philosophical base as the extreme religious right - surely their alleged 2,800 supporters are not local and are likely from out of state - their stand on the millage renewal and desperately needed additional mills shows that they would first destroy, before they forced their Ayatollah-like approach to education (or non-education) on our children.

By appealing to our moral code in superficial, simple ways, by crying "devil" at every innocent child's activity, by promising to save tax dollars and get back at government through an anti-education stance, they invoke an image of ignorance, which is frightening to me.

The reader may see in my words excess worry, but the lessons of history - which they hide - need to be relearned.

I am a product of a parochial education and have raised two children in the Plymouth-Canton school system. I provided the moral anchors, paid my taxes, put in contributions of time and talent, and I didn't need the voice of the haters and narrow-minded to see positive changes.

We're losing our grip on quality education. Economic circumstances and the bashers have pushed the school system to the brink.

Do what's right.

Douglass V. Koch
Plymouth

Assessments are tax hike enough

Van Buren school officials have every right to be not optimistic about the millage vote April 17.

Having seen my home valuation go up 25 percent in the past 14 months. I know how my family will vote.

In the event the millage fails, which it may, my use of the money saved will help support the National Rifle Association.

S.K. Pullen
Belleville

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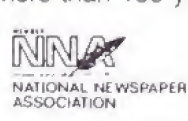
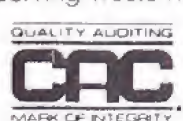
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VIEWPOINTS: Will the Alaskan oil spill affect local gas prices?



Jack Tyus
Inkster

It shouldn't, but it will.

The oil companies will use that incident to boost oil prices. But most of the oil that comes from Alaska goes to Japan.



Gloria Steele
Inkster

Yes, and I'm very upset about it.

Every time something like that occurs, our prices automatically go up.



Lottie Hardin
Inkster

It already has. It shouldn't. Not yet, but it will later.

There's always someone in there wanting to make a buck.



Mary Giera
Westland

It already has. Mistakes are always costly.



Mary Jo Suchy
Westland

Yes, it already has.

They lost a lot of oil, and it costs a lot to clean it up.



Kelly Kasper
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No. The spill was not really significant to raising prices a substantial degree.

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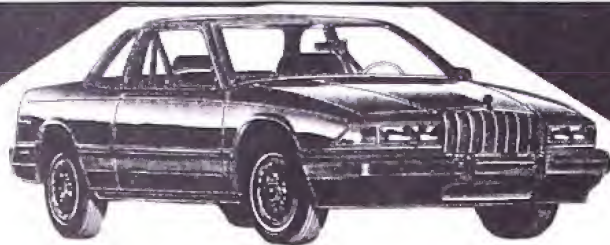


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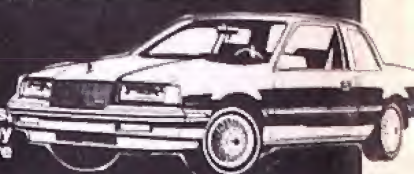
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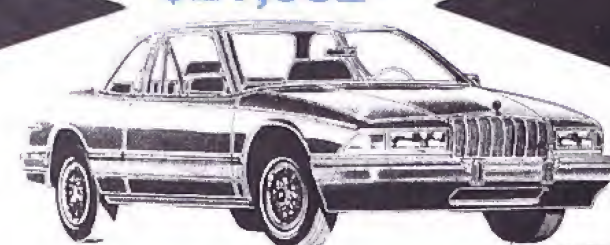
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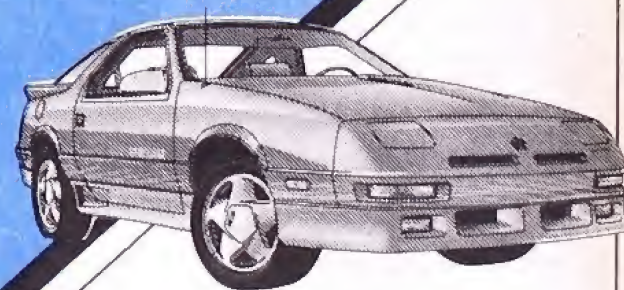


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My sister has done it again. This time she found the most wonderful cookbook, chock full of recipes listed among the missing for decades. She found these for me in a great little cookbook which features Amish and Mennonite recipes. Since she works in a bookstore, she got the first opportunity to grab one of these little jewels knowing what treasures were within.

It is a wonderful book which even provides detailed directions for scrapple, not that too many who weren't raised on the stuff care. There are several other wonderful recipes for everything from breads, soups and salads to, you guessed it, terrific desserts.

All the recipes are simple but feature fresh ingredients and produce rich, chock-full-of-calories results and are designed for people who go out into the field and work the land or wash and iron without benefit of electricity to work off stress and cholesterol. Personally, I think they have the right idea. It has always seemed more productive to wash walls at home for free than pay somebody \$12 an hour to bash a stupid ball against one at some so-called health club.



Wayne resident Shirley Maxfield (above) began honing her culinary skills at age 14. Today, she is a master in the kitchen and is sharing her secrets with her children.

ANP photo by Debbie Pountney

Moist chocolate cake

2 cups flour, sifted
2 cups sugar
3/4 cup dry cocoa powder
2 teaspoons baking soda
1 teaspoon baking powder
pinch salt
1/2 cup oil
1 cup hot coffee
1 cup milk
2 eggs

Mix together flour, sugar, cocoa, baking soda and powder and salt. Make a well in the center of the dry ingredients and add oil, coffee, milk and eggs. Beat just enough to mix well. (The batter will be lumpy.) Pour into a greased 9-by-13 cake pan and bake 35 minutes at 350 degrees. Spread slightly warm cake with Quick Carmel Frosting.

Quick carmel frosting

1/2 cup butter
1 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup milk
1 3/4-2 cups sifted confectioner's sugar

Melt butter in saucepan. Add brown sugar and cook over low heat for two minutes, stirring constantly. Add milk and continue stirring until mixture comes to a boil. Remove from heat and cool. Add confectioner's sugar and beat until smooth and frosting reaches spreadin consistency.

Short cake

2 cups flour
1 tablespoon sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
4 tablespoons margarine
1 cup milk

Stir dry ingredients together then cut in margarine. Add milk and mix well until batter is quite stiff. Spread batter in round cake pan or on a cookie sheet, about 3/4 inch thick. Bake at 325 degrees until golden in color, but not brown. Serve with fresh, sweetened fruits and whipped cream.

Sue Willett is the general manager of the Associated Newspapers. Her cooking column appears here each week.

Perfection

Wayne baker's love for kitchen is evident in her tasty treats

By FLORENCE MEEKS
ANP Staff Writer

Shirley Maxfield, of Wayne, has a perfectly logical reason to enjoy baking. She loves the finished product.

Maxfield received her first cookbook when she was 14. She quickly became a baking addict. Her all-time favorite? Pies.

After many years of baking and sampling, Maxfield has mastered a delicious pie crust. She maintains that her choice of shortening, Crisco, makes a big difference in the end result.

"Mix it (with flour) real well with a pastry blender until it looks like popcorn," she said. "Chill the dough at least one hour. Then it rolls out real easy."

Maxfield stresses that water should not be added until after the dough has been chilled.

Fruit pies are especially popular in Maxfield's household.

"We mostly like apple. My husband likes cherry, though," she explained. Today, Maxfield teaches her two teenage daughters, Annette and Lisa, to cook. Annette's specialties are apple pie and luscious lemon bars.

In addition, Maxfield continues to perfect her own skills, collecting recipes and adding her own touches.

"I clip a lot of recipes and try them out."

Her experiments have already led to second-place prizes in the Associated Newspapers holiday cookbook contests in 1986 and 1987. Maxfield's love for baking is evident in her winning recipes—chocolate peanut butter pie and caramel-topped apple cake.

Another popular Maxfield creation is her recipe for giant chocolate-chip cookies. The cookies are especially popular at school bake sales, Maxfield said.

All of the recipes donated by Maxfield have undergone numerous taste tests by the Maxfield family. Now, you be the judge.

Giant chocolate-chip cookies

2 cups shortening
1 cup sugar

2 cups brown sugar
2 teaspoons vanilla
4 eggs
4 1/2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking soda
2 teaspoons salt
12 ounces chocolate chips

Beat together shortening, sugar, brown sugar and vanilla. Add eggs, flour, baking soda and salt. Mix in chocolate chips. Place 1/4 cup dough per cookie on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake 10 minutes in 350-degree oven. Makes 27 giant cookies.

Caramel dip

1 8-ounce package cream cheese
3/4 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup granulated sugar
2 teaspoons vanilla

Mix and enjoy. Makes an ideal dip for fresh fruit.

My best cabbage soup

Medium head of cabbage
5 carrots
1 green pepper
2 stalks celery
1 medium onion
2 cans stewed tomatoes
1 large can tomato juice
1 large can V-8 juice
2 beef bouillon cubes
Watkins onion flavoring

Chop vegetables. Combine all ingredients. Simmer until cabbage is tender. Add water if necessary.

Chess pie

4 eggs
2 cups sugar
3/4 cup milk
4 tablespoons flour
1 teaspoon vanilla

Combine all ingredients in large mixing bowl. Pour mix into two 8-inch baked pie crusts. Bake in 350-degree oven 55 minutes. This is similar to a custard pie.

Polish pound cake

1/2 pound butter
1/2 pound margarine
2 cups sugar
8 whole eggs
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla, 3 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder

Mix butter, margarine and sugar beating well. Add 1 egg at a time mixing well after each addition. Add salt and vanilla, beat well again. Add flour and beat again. Add baking powder last. Pour batter into a well-greased tube pan and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour, then at 375 degrees for an additional 15 minutes. Let the cake cool in the pan and then frost or sprinkle with powdered sugar.

Mexican fiesta cake

2 cups sugar
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking soda
2 eggs
20-ounce can crushed pineapple with juice

For the frosting:
8-ounce package of cream cheese
1/2 cup margarine
1 cup confectioner's sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla

For alternate frosting:
2 cups confectioner's sugar
1 8-ounce package cream cheese
1 stick melted margarine

Mix all together. Add 1 cup chopped nuts. Bake in greased 9-by-13-inch pan. Bake in 350 degree oven 45 minutes. Cool and frost.

Hungarian nut rolls

4 cups flour
1/2 pound margarine
1/4 cup sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 package yeast
4 cups finely grated walnuts
4 beaten egg whites
1 1/2 cups sugar
2 teaspoons vanilla
2 teaspoons cinnamon

Mix first 5 ingredients together as

for pie dough. Add 1 cup lukewarm milk with 4 egg yolks stirred in milk first. Mix dough and milk together. Knead well. Set in refrigerator 1 hour. Divide into 4 parts. Roll each part into thin rectangles. Spread each rectangle with mixture of ground walnuts, egg whites, sugar, vanilla and cinnamon. Roll up into long rolls, pinch edges. Place 2 on each cookie sheet. Do not let them touch. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. They freeze well up to 3 months.

Here is the award-winning recipe Maxfield submitted for the Associated Newspaper Holiday Cookbook in 1987.

Caramel-topped apple cake

1 1/4 cups salad oil
2 cups sugar
3 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
3 cups raw apples, chopped
3 cups cake flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup chopped nuts

Do not use mixer. Beat eggs, add sugar, oil and vanilla. Stir in apples. Sift and measure flour with salt and soda. Mix nuts in flour. Add apple batter to flour and nut mixture. Mix well. Bake in bundt pan at 325 degrees for 60 to 70 minutes.

Topping: 1/2 stick margarine or butter
1/4 cup evaporated milk
1 cup brown sugar

Combine above ingredients and bring to boil. For thicker filling cook longer and whip. Cook and pour over cake.

See **PERFECT**, page B-2

ALL AROUND TOWN

FOUR LOCAL STUDENTS have been named to the winter semester dean's list at the Detroit College of Business. Students named to the list must earn at least a 3.5 grade-point average. The students include Inkster residents **Leo Merle Anderson** and **Kathryn Jones** and Romulus residents **Ralph M. Gapuz** and **Alex Bruce Good**.

RECENTLY NAMED 1988 Duro-Last Roofing Inc. Contractor of the Year was Romulus resident **Mike Morss**, of M. W. Morss Roofing. The award was presented during the Duro-Last 1989 sales seminar in Las Vegas, Nev., by John Burt, Duro-Last president.

Winning this award is not new for Morss. He was awarded the same honor in 1986. He has also served as a Duro-Last dealer/contractor Advisory Board member.

WESTLAND RESIDENT ALLEN C. Brooks, of Allen Brooks Studio, has been recognized as a certified professional photographer by the Professional Photographers of America Inc. He earned the distinction after meeting requirements designed to qualify his artistic, technical, ethical and business competence. By achieving certification, Brooks is now among 1,300 photographers to attain this level of professionalism.

SEVERAL LOCAL STUDENTS have been named to the dean's list for the winter day term at Lawrence Technological University. Students named to the list earn at least a 3.5 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale. The students include Westland residents **Craig Lukomski**, **Daniel Parker**, **Raymond Peterson**, **Christopher Talvitie** and **Paul Wollschlaeger**; and Canton Township residents **Jeffrey Feierfeil**, **Dean Jarski**, **Robert Johnson Jr.**, **Jarrett Nyschick** and **Scott Van Der Roest**.

RECENTLY NAMED TO first semester dean's list at Indiana University was Wayne resident **Heather Mate**. Students named to the list must earn a grade-point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale.

CANTON TOWNSHIP RESIDENT Theresa Shaffer has been named to the winter semester dean's list at Northwood Institute, in Midland. Students named to the list must earn at least a 3.0 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale. The student is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Shaffer.

U.S. ARMY PVT. John Hufstедler, the son of John L. and Barbara Hufstедler, of Belleville, has completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga. During the course, students received training which qualified them as light-weapons infantrymen and as indirect fire crewmen in a rifle or mortar squad. Instruction included weapons qualifications, tactics, patrolling, land mine warfare, field communications and combat operations. The serviceman is a 1988 graduate of Ypsilanti Lincoln High School.

U.S. ARMY PVT. 1st Class Robert Spears Jr., the son of Robert A. and Phaila Spears, of Romulus, has completed the Vulcan repair course at the U.S. Army Missile and Munitions Center and School, Redstone Arsenal, Ala.

SERVICEMEN FROM WESTLAND who made the military news include **Pvt. James Sirdan**, son of Kenneth and Betty Sirdan, who has completed an Army administration course at Fort Jackson, S.C. **Army Pvt. Roger Sheets Jr.**, son of Roger and Louise Sheets, has arrived for duty in West Germany. The serviceman is a missile crewmember with the 43rd Air Defense Artillery. **Pvt. Mike Wells**, has completed the Vulcan repair course at the U.S. Army Missile and Munitions Center and School, Redstone Arsenal, Ala. Students learned basic and advanced electronics, computer fundamentals and soldiering. **Pvt. Ali Shareef**, son of Saniyyah and Ali Shareef, has completed an Army administration course at Fort Jackson, S.C. He is a 1988 graduate of Inkster High School.

U.S. ARMY PVT. Marcus Schuette, the son of Rohn and Billie Schuette, of Canton Township, has completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga. The soldier is a 1988 graduate of Plymouth-Salem High School.

Compiled by THOMAS M. VARCIE

JUST MARRIED

Brown — DuPrie

Barbara Lynne Brown, of Upland Court, Wayne, and Robert Allen DuPrie, of Village Green Drive, Belleville, were united in marriage during an afternoon ceremony April 8 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, in Wayne.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Brown, of Wayne. She is a 1985 graduate of John Glenn High School, in Westland.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold DuPrie, of Cowan Road, Westland. He is a 1984 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School, in Wayne.

Approximately 300 guests attended the double-ring ceremony, which was officiated by the Rev. Rice.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Matron of honor for the occasion was Bev Tubbs, the bride's sister. Bridesmaids included Linda Brown, Nanette Moore, Sue Sinclair, Denes DuPrie and Sandy Saranas.

Lisa James was the flowergirl.

Rich Lamey served as best man. Ushers included Mike Brown, Jack Brown, Howie DuPrie, Mike DuPrie and John DuPrie.

Tommy James and Robert Sinclair were ringbearers.

A reception followed the ceremony at the VFW Hall. The two traveled to Daytona Beach, Fla., for their honeymoon.



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699-2094

Oakwood Downriver Medical Center
April 11—9 am-4 pm
25750 W. Outer Drive, Lincoln Park
383-6000

Starkweather School
April 18—10 am-7 pm
550 North Holbrook, Plymouth
459-7030

Project Health-O-Rama is made possible by support from these following organizations:

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Perfect

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Butter cake

1 cup margarine or butter
2 cups sugar
4 eggs
3 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup buttermilk
2 teaspoons vanilla

Cream margarine or butter. Add sugar. Blend in eggs, one at a time. Combine flour, salt, baking powder and soda. Combine buttermilk with vanilla. Add milk and flour mixtures alternately to creamed mixture, ending with dry. Mix well. Turn into greased 10-inch tube pan. Bake at 350 degrees 60 to 65 minutes. While cake is still in pan, poke holes into top. Coat with butter sauce (see recipe below). Cool before removing.

Butter sauce

1 cup sugar

1/4 cup water
1/2 cup margarine or butter
1 tablespoon vanilla

Combine first three ingredients in saucepan. Heat until margarine melts. Add vanilla.

Cream cheese pound cake

1 cup margarine, softened
1/2 cup butter, softened
1 8-ounce package cream cheese, softened
3 cups sugar
6 eggs (at room temperature)
2 teaspoons vanilla
3 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder

Cream margarine, butter, cream cheese and sugar at medium speed with electric mixer until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating 1 minute after each addition. Add vanilla, mixing well. Sift together flour and baking powder. Blend into creamed mixture until ingredients are combined. Turn into well-greased 10-inch tube pan. Bake in a preheated 325-degree oven 1 hour and 15 minutes or until cake tests done.

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CLUBS, GROUPS

ORAL MAJORITY TOASTMASTERS — Members meet at 5:45 p.m. each Tuesday at Denny's restaurant, Ann Arbor Road at I-275, Canton Township. The group is a nonprofit education program of public speaking in communication and leadership, designed in a club atmosphere. Call Phyllis at 455-1635.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS — Members of the support group for overeaters meet at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at St. John's Episcopal Church, 555 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Call 727-6178 or 545-LIFE.

SUNDAY NIGHT SINGLES — A dance party is staged from 8 p.m. to midnight every Sunday at Hawthorne Valley, Merriman Road, north of Warren Road, Westland. All singles at least 25 years of age are invited. Cost is \$4. Call 277-4242.

BETHANY WEST — Members of Bethany West play volleyball two Fridays each month in the Westland area. For more information, call Sue, 562-2805, or Pat, 326-8988. Bethany West is a support group for the divorced and separated.

TOUGHLOVE — Members of the group, a nonprofit program for parents troubled by their teen's behavior, meet at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday. Call Rae, 278-6873, or Delores, 595-7448, for information on dates and meeting times.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 1539 PLYMOUTH-CANTON — Members of the Boy Scout group meet at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Lowell Middle School, on Hix Road, south of Joy Road. Call Doug, 455-1891.

ENCORE POSTMASTECTOMY GROUP — Members of the national YWCA postmastectomy discussion, exercise and support program for women meet from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Monday at the Dearborn Athletic Club, Dearborn, and from 9 to 11 a.m. every Thursday at the Forum Health Club, Westland. Call Julia, 561-4110.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON CIVITAN CLUB — Members meet at 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce and the third Thursday of each month at Karl's Family Restaurant. Call 981-7259.

POLISH CENTENNIAL DANCERS — Classes in beginning polka, folk dancing and aerobics are offered to adults by members of the Polish Centennial Dancers. Call Linda, 522-3777, or Joanne, 464-1263.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS — Members of the Wayne-Westland chapter 340, a single parent support group, meet at 8 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of every month at Roma's of Garden City, Cherry Hill, between Merriman and Venoy roads, Garden City. Call 721-3734, or 675-6313.

METRO WAYNE DEMOCRATIC CLUB — A spring dinner/dance, sponsored by the Wayne Metro Democratic Club, is slated for 7 p.m. April 15 at the VFW Harris Kehrer Post 3323, 1055 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Tickets are \$15. Call Marie, 729-8681, or Judy, 595-1459.

ROMULUS ROVERS WALKING CLUB — Members meet at 6 p.m. every Monday for a club walk at different locations. Call 941-2215.

WAYNE ROTARY CLUB — Members of the group need tax deductible donations for the 1989 spring garage sale. No clothing items are needed. Call 729-4637 or 597-0383.

BELLEVILLE BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB — Members of the organization meet at 6 p.m. April 19 at the Holiday Inn-Airport, 31200 Industrial Drive, Romulus. Call 872-4311 or 699-3606.

WESTLAND JAYCEES — members of the group meet at 7:30 p.m. April 18 at Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road, Westland. Those between the ages of 21 to 40 are welcome. Call 722-1630.

ST. ANTHONY'S BOY SCOUT TROOP 793 — Members of the group are having a car wash from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 15 behind the fire hall and across from the Fred C. Fischer Library, Belleville.

DAD'S ATHLETIC CLUB — Boys and girls softball registration for 7- to 18-year-olds is slated from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. April 15 at the Dorsey Center. Call 728-7746.



CHURCHES

RUMMAGE AND BAKE SALE — Members of St. Kevin's Church, Inkster, will offer a bake and rummage sale from noon to 8 p.m. until April 20 at the church, 30043 Parkwood, Inkster. Sunday hours are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

WORSHIP SERVICE — Members of the churches of Canton Township will gather for an ecumenical worship service at 7 p.m. April 16 at Canton Free Methodist Church, 44815 Cherry Hill, Canton. Clergy from several churches in the community will lead the service.

FILM SERIES — A film series, "Turn Your Heart Toward Home," is presented by Dr. James Dobson, at 9:30 a.m. April 16 at First Baptist Church of Canton. Call 459-7178.



EDUCATION

ADULT FITNESS CLASSES — Swimming class are offered days and nights through the Wayne-Westland leisure program. Call 728-0100.

SECURITY OFFICER TRAINING — Security-officer training is provided free of charge for interested men and women. Course instruction includes surveillance, patrolling, hotel security, hospital security, plant security and VIP protection. Call 443-5058.

STUDIO WORKSHOP — The "Public Access — Studio Workshop," presented by Omnicom Cable Co., begins April 21. Classes, offered from 7 to 9 p.m., continue through May 19. Call 459-7321.

SCHOOLCRAFT REGISTRATION — In-person registration for Schoolcraft College students is slated from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. April 25, 26 and 27. The spring term begins May 8. Call 462-4426.

ARCHERY CLINIC — An archery clinic, sponsored by the Wayne County Cooperative Extension 4H group, begins at noon April 15 in the barn, 5454 Venoy, Wayne. Call 721-6576.



REUNIONS

The following schools/organizations are planning reunions:

BELLEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1969, Aug. 19, Weber's Inn, Ann Arbor. Call Bonnie, 453-0487, or Loretta, 697-9453.

CODY HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1979, Oct. 7, Roma's of Livonia-West. Call 465-2277 or 263-6803.

DEARBORN HEIGHTS ROOSEVELT — Classes of 1953, 1954 and 1955, Sept. 16, Holiday Inn, Ford Road at Southfield. Call Tom, 728-2884, Bonnie, 287-3474, Goody, 277-4044, or Bobbie, 665-9465.

DETROIT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1938, April 30. Call 773-8820.

DETROIT PERSHING HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1954, Oct. 13, the Van Dyke Park Hotel, Warren. Call 465-2277, or 263-6803.

FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1969, Sept. 30, Novi Hilton. Call Lee, 465-2277.

FORDSON HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1939, Sept. 23, Italian American Hall. Call Angie, 846-9979, Duane, 565-0805, or Bill, 525-0276.

FORDSON HIGH SCHOOL — Class of June 1964, Aug. 19, Holiday Inn Holiday, I-275 and Six Mile Road, Livonia. Call 582-8175.

HAMTRAMCK HIGH SCHOOL — Classes of January and June 1939, 3 p.m. Sept. 24, Polish Century Club, Call Chet, 893-6830, or Helen, 682-3850.

HOLY REDEEMER HIGH SCHOOL — All graduates, 8 p.m. April 22, Holy Redeemer, Vernor at Junction roads, Detroit. Cost is \$10. Call Joyce, 841-4515.

LINCOLN PARK HIGH SCHOOL — Class of January 1964, April 14. Call 773-8820.

MACKENZIE HIGH SCHOOL — Classes of 1962, 1963 and 1964, Saturday, April 29, Warren Chateau, 6015 E. 10 Mile Road, Warren. Call 837-5880 or write: P.O. Box 2086, Suite 244, Birmingham, Mich. 48011.

MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL — Alumni, Sept. 1 to 3. Call Delores, 606-285-3298 or 606-886-9193.

NORTH FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1979, Laurel Manor, Livonia. Call Lee, 465-2277.

PERSHING HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1939, Sept. 17, Vladimir's. Call Ralph, 644-8160 or 540-4480.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1979, July 15, Holiday Inn, Livonia West. Call Lee, 465-2277, or 263-6805.

REDFORD HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1939, Sept. 17, Vladimir's. Call Ralph, 644-8160 or 540-4480.

REDFORD HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1949, May 6. Call 773-8820.

SEAHOLM HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1969, Aug. 12, Troy Hilton, Troy. Call Lee, 465-2277.

ST. ALPHONSUS — Class of 1979, Oct. 7. Call Denise, 581-0117, or Judy, 582-0843.

ST. THERESA — Class of 1939, Call Tom and Margaret Hayes, 474-8118.

WAYNE HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1939, May 19, Wayne Recreation Center. Call Jane, 728-2327.

WAYNE MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1959, July 14 to 16. Call Bill, 654-6411 or Ed, 459-3203.

WAYNE MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1969, July 22. Call Alois, 728-0265, or Donna, 722-7817.

WAYNE MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL — Class of 1984, Aug. 26, Knights of Columbus, Wayne. Call James, 326-9512, or Mark, 581-4400 or 595-4432.



BUSINESS

FINANCIAL SEMINAR — "Investing in the Bush Era," a financial seminar sponsored by the Plymouth Community YMCA, will be staged from 7:30 to 9 p.m. April 19 at Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main Street. Call 453-2904.

BUSINESS SEMINAR — "After Business, Ours," a mini exposition showcasing products and services of local businesses, is slated from 5:30 to 7:30

p.m. April 27 at Woodhaven Wonder Dome, 23151 Hall Road, Woodhaven. Call 675-4921. Cost is \$5 and \$15.

HOMEBUYER'S SEMINAR — A free seminar on home buying is set for 7 p.m. May 2 at the Holiday Inn-Livonia West, Six Mile Road and I-275. Call 478-1700.



SENIORS

WAYNE-WESTLAND SCHOOLS CLUB — The following activities have been planned at the Dyer center, 36745 Marquette Road, Westland. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 595-2161 for more details.

BINGO — The game is played at 1 p.m. April 26.

COSMETICS DEMONSTRATION — A Mary Kay Cosmetics representative will stage a presentation at 1 p.m. April 13. Products may be purchased at that time.

SPRING FLING — The spring fling and dinner entertainment event is slated for 1 p.m. April 19. Music is by the Avolons. Cost is \$3.

WESTLAND SENIOR CLUB — The following activities have been planned at the Westland Senior Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh Road, Westland. The center is open Monday through Friday. Call 722-7632 for more details.

HYPERTENSION SCREENINGS — Hypertension screenings are provided by staff members of the Westland Medical Center and Annapolis Hospital from 10 a.m. to noon every Monday.

STRESS, ISOLATION AND DEPRESSION COUNSELING — The service is provided to seniors by appointment only. A \$5 donation is suggested.

WAYNE SENIOR CITIZENS — The following activities have been planned at the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe Road, at Annapolis, Wayne. For details, call 721-7400 between 1 and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

HEALTH SCREENING — Free health screenings are available for seniors older than 60. Reservations are needed.

HOLLAND TRIP — Seniors can see the tulips in Holland May 10 during a tour of the city. Lunch is provided. Cost is \$42.

HANDYMAN REFERRAL SERVICE — Wayne senior residents are available to help with odd jobs around the yard or house. Call 721-7400.



FUN FOR ALL

DANCE PARTY — A 1950s and '60s dance party is slated for 7 p.m. April 22 at Knights of Columbus, 35100 Van Born, Wayne. Cost is \$10. Call 595-7688.

DAILY SWIMMING — Open swim time is available to the public from 7 to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday at the Wayne-Westland YMCA. Cost for guests are \$1.50 for children, \$4 for adults. Call 721-7044.

OPEN GOLF COURSES — The 18-hole golf course at Willow Metropark,

near New Boston, is expected to open for the public by mid-April. In addition, the 18-hole golf course at Lower Huron Metropark, near Belleville, is expected to open at the same time. Call 1-800-24-PARKS.

SPRING FESTIVAL — The Garden City Spring Festival is slated from April 27 to 30 at Cherry Hill and Merriman roads at the Garden City Park.

VEGAS NIGHT — A Las Vegas Night, sponsored by UAW Local 900, is slated from 7 p.m. to midnight April 22 at the Wayne Ford Civic League, 1661 Wayne Road. Cost is \$3. Call 721-2530.



HEALTH

BREATHERS CLUB — Members of the group meet the third Wednesday of each month in classroom 3 of the Garden City Hospital, 6245 N. Inkster Road, between Ford and Warren roads, in Garden City. Call 559-5100.

BLOOD DRIVE — Blood donations are accepted from 1 to 7 p.m. April 13 at Continental Cablevision, 2800 S. Guiley Road, Dearborn Heights. Call 277-1050.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP — Members meet at 2 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month at the Westland Convalescent Center, 36137 W. Warren, Westland.

HEALTH FAIR — A health fair, sponsored by the Wayne-Westland YMCA is slated from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 15 at the facility, 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Cholesterol and blood screening

and body composition analyses will be offered. Call 721-7044.

PROJECT HEALTH-O-RAMA — Health care professional will offer their services during a health screening until April 14 at Westland Mall. Twenty-one health tests will be administered for \$21 for those interested. Screenings are offered from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. each day. Call 467-4628.

HEALTH FAIR — A health fair is staged from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 15 at the Wayne-Westland YMCA. Call 721-7044.

BELLEVILLE AREA FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP OF THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION — Members meet at 10 a.m. April 21 at the September Days Senior Center, Quirk School. Call 485-8692.



ET CETERA

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED — Volunteers are being sought by the Canton Care Center to assist care center residents or assist with group activities. Call 397-0600.

MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS — Motor vehicle permits for Maybury State Park, in Northville, are now available. Cost is \$10. Permits can be obtained by calling 349-8390 or writing: Maybury State Park, 20145 Beck Road, Northville, Mich. 48167.

REWARD! — Members of the Polish Centennial Dancers will award \$100 for the design used to build a parade float for the group. The trailer is 7 feet wide, 14 feet long. Call Brian, 522-3777.

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Sports

Charged

2 local prep cage stars are charged with delivery of cocaine

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Two outstanding high school athletes were arrested last Wednesday by Inkster police and charged with delivery of cocaine.

Diya Muhammad, 18, a senior at Romulus High, and Gary Johnson, 17, a junior at Inkster High, were taken into police custody after undercover agents and Inkster police raided an Inkster motel on Michigan Avenue.

Muhammad and Johnson were charged with possession with the intent to deliver cocaine, a felony.

Muhammad and Johnson were remanded to the Inkster city jail after each had failed to post \$50,000 bonds. They stood mute at their arraignment before 22nd District Judge Sylvia James, according to Inkster police.

The defendants were scheduled for a preliminary hearing yesterday in the 22nd district court.

Armed with a search warrant, signed by Judge James, Inkster police raided the White House Inn, 26121 Michigan Ave. Officers knocked on the apartment door and received no re-

It is a tragedy when anybody gets involved in illegal drugs...especially when they are two talented young athletes. They've ruined their lives because of drugs.

— Lt. James Buckley
Inkster police

sponse. They then opened the door with a key provided by the manager.

Upon entering the room, police said, they saw Johnson running into the bathroom apparently attempting to escape through a bathroom window. Police said they saw the suspect, later identified as Johnson, tossing a plastic bag away.

The bag contained 31 pieces of suspected rock cocaine which was recovered by Sgt. Lee Crump, who immediately placed Johnson under arrest.

Police said they found the 6-foot-5 Muhammad hiding behind

one of the beds and also placed him under arrest.

According to police reports, police found a large quantity of suspected rock cocaine, which they confiscated. They also confiscated \$164 from Mohammed.

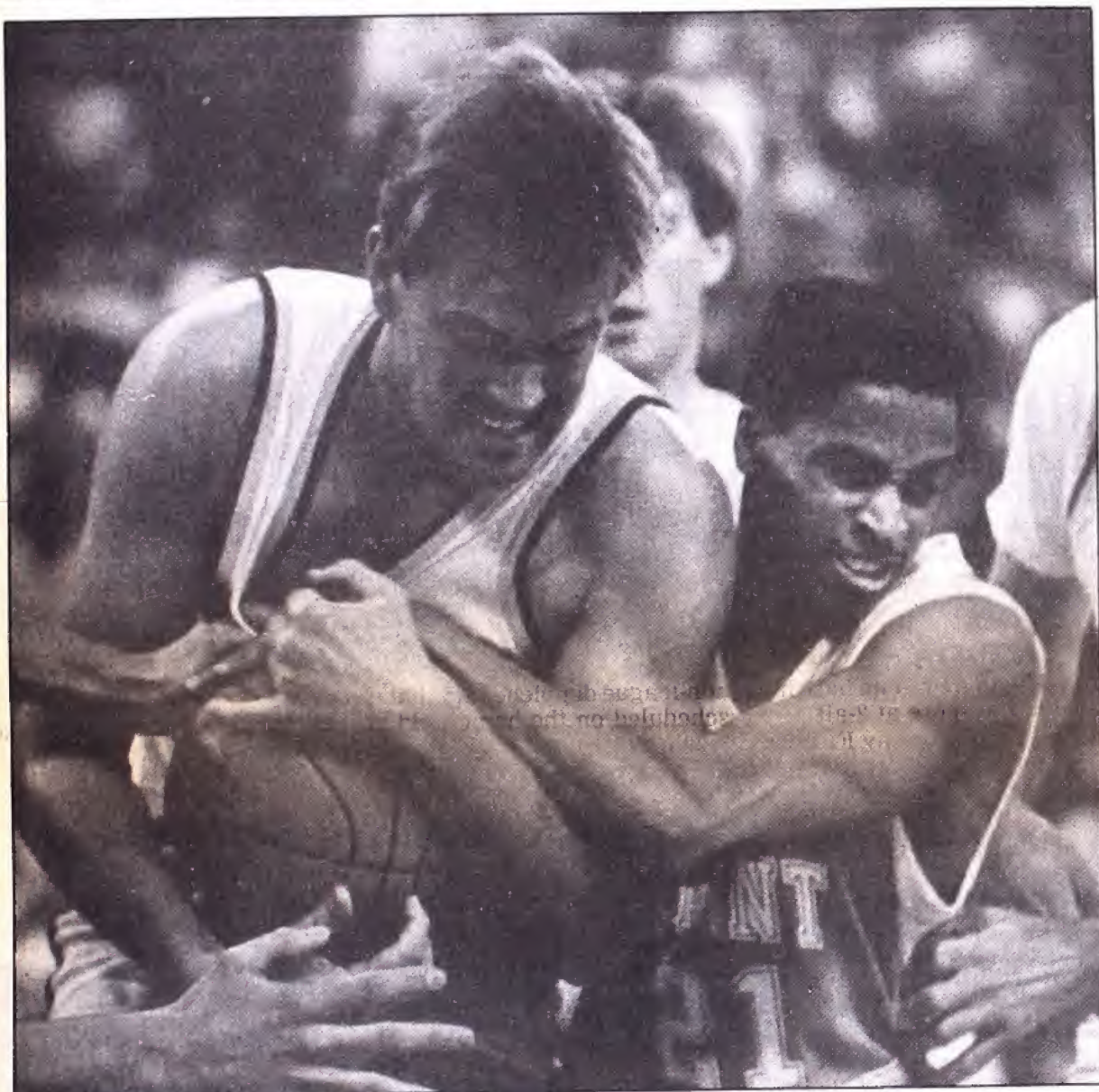
Police said they found an air-pistol under a bed, two beepers and other suspected drug paraphernalia in the room.

They would not speculate how big of a drug operation was run out of the motel room. Police also would not say what led them to the two young suspects.

"This is an ongoing investigation," said Lt. James Buckley, of the Inkster Police Department. "And we can't comment any further. But it's really a tragedy when anybody gets involved in drugs, especially when they are two young and athletically talented young men."

Johnson, a 6-foot junior guard, was named to the Associated Newspapers' All-Area team after leading the Vikings of Inkster high in scoring. He was also selected to the all conference (Suburban Athletic Conference) team.

Muhammad, a 6-5 forward who was a starter for the Eagles at Romulus High, earned all-conference consideration in basketball for the South Central Conference.



All-tourney star

Former Cherry Hill High cage star Mark Merriman (center) who led Siena Heights College into the "Final 8" of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics national basketball championships was voted to the all-tournament team. Merriman, a 6-5 junior, led his team in scoring with a 15.6 points per game average. Siena Heights won 31 and lost seven before East Central, Okl. knocked them out of national playoffs.

Belleville kickers present new coach with 2-0 victory

Belleville's girls' soccer team wasted little time finding their way into the victory column last week. They presented first-year coach Sam Vicky with a 2-0 victory over their first opponent, Adrian.

With Jamie Wilson and Sarah Mortenson each booting in first-half goals, the Tigers shut out their non-league rivals.

"For a season's opener, we looked good," said Vicky who inherited the team from Chuck Hundley. "And it's always good to win your first one."

Vicky, a familiar name in the coaching circles, coached the high school boys and girls varsity swimming teams during the 1970s. However, this is the first time around as coach of the soccer team.

Because there are not enough Wolverine 'A' Conference teams that field girls soccer teams, Belleville has aligned itself in the Ex-

pressway Women's Soccer Conference.

"Although I am not new to the sport, I am obviously new to the league, so I really don't know much about who has what in this conference," Vicky commented.

The Tigers are scheduled to play today at Woodhaven. They clashed with the T-Birds of Edsel Ford on Monday.

Vicky has a hosts of impressive players to make up his lineup. They include fullbacks - Becky Morgan, Nikkie Valkenberg, Amy Renton, Amy Wagner and Jennifer Scruggs; the halfbacks include: Sarah Mortensen, Ann Alati, Lana Merriweather and Rachel Clemons; while the forwards are Jamie Wilson, Nicole Vesche, Jennifer Porter, and Cyndy Taylor.

The Tigers have in the midfield positions: Faith Bodenmiller, Charlene Taylor, Christie Zehel, Jill Kolner, Tracy Stewart and Kim Walters, while the goalie is Ellie Buhro.

Romulus runners split

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Coach Al Wilkerson and his Romulus thinc-lads got off to a winning start last week as the Eagles turned back Taylor Center 78-50.

But the Eagles' win streak didn't last. On Thursday, Garden City handed Romulus its first setback of the young season, 86-42.

"We looked good in spots," said Coach Al Wilkerson, "however, we obviously have a lot of work to do."

Wilkerson received an excellent effort out of hurler Ed Morgan, a freshman, who claimed two first places. Morgan won the high hurdles in 17.9, then carded his second victory with a 46.1 performance in the lows.

Morgan's teammate, Duane Bosley, also had

a sterling opening day performance. Bosley came up with a 24.1 to win the 200-meter dash. He also anchored the winning 400, 800, and 1600-meter relay teams.

In the 800, the Eagles covered the distance in 1:38.2 as Keith Merritt, John Brown, Andre Peters and Bosley provided the winning combination. Wilkerson chose Ivan Brown, Merritt, John Toliver and Bosley for the 400-meter relay and the foursome posted a winning 47.2 time.

Romulus continued its domination of the relay events with a 3:48.7 victory in the 1,600 as Izelle Watkins teamed up with John Brown, Khalid Mohammed and Bosley for the win.

The Eagles had two other winners: Andre Peters leaped 20 feet, 6 inches in the long jump. See **EAGLES**, page B-5

Can champs be perfect again?

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Can New Boston Huron, the defending conference girls' track & field champ, continue its phenomenal success in the conference?

That's the question fans of the Chiefs are asking as Coach Jim Okler prepares for his seventh season as head coach. He has five seniors and several good-looking juniors to rebuild his club.

"It's tough to come back in this league and try to repeat as winners," Okler commented. "And we have a lot of question marks to find answers to. But I am confident that these girls will do their best to reach our goals this year."

Whether repeating as champ is one of those goals, the Huron coach was not going to reveal it at this time.

Huron placed its 8-0 won-lost record of a year ago on the block Tuesday when the Chiefs opened up the non-league phase of their season against Southgate Aquinas.

"We really don't know what they have," Okler said about the meet. "And with the weather what it has been these past few days, we're having problems - like most of the other teams - getting ready for the season."

The area relapsed into winter over the weekend as snow and subfreezing weather hit Michigan. Forecasters said that the weather is expected to warm up later in the week. On Monday, the high was a shivering 39.

The Chiefs did compete in the prestigious Spartan Relays at Michigan State University. Among the top performers were Lindsey Wendel, who finished fifth in the high jump; Jen-

See **CHAMPS**, page B-5

Attention softball managers

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Despite the burst of arctic weather that swept through the state and area over the weekend, softball, the traditional spring and summer sport, remains in the air.

Softball coaches who are looking for some action are urged to sign up their teams in the Inkster Parks and Recreation leagues.

The recreation department offers several different levels of competition for men and women teams.

A 7 p.m. Monday, April 24 meeting has been scheduled for managers who plan to enter teams in the Inkster adult men's softball league, which will begin action on May 8. There is a 12-game schedule that culminates with post-season playoffs.

Registration fee is \$385 which covers the

costs for hiring umpires, scorekeepers and league and sponsor trophies.

"The adult league is one of the best in the area," said Ruth E. Williams, athletic director supervisor who is in charge of the spring program. "We're looking forward to another excellent year."

Those needing further information are urged to contact Williams between the hours of 1 to 8 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the Inkster recreation complex at 728-7530.

An organizational meeting is slated at 7 tonight at the recreation complex for the adult men's Class 'C' softball league. There are 10-teams scheduled for the regular season, plus playoff competition. The league will commence action on May 19.

Recreation officials said that there is a \$325 registration fee, which covers the costs of offi- See **LEAGUE**, page B-5



Laurie Berlinn

Texas signs Berlinn

Laurie Berlinn, who has set all kinds of records in basketball and has lettered in volleyball and softball, will be the first Romulus High female athlete to receive a full-ride scholarship to a first division university.

Berlinn, a 6-3 senior, was expected to sign a letter of intent yesterday to attend Texas Christian University.

"Berlinn is not only an outstanding athlete but an outstanding person," said Fred Coleman, Romulus High athletic director. "And I believe I can say this for all of

See **BERLINN**, page B-5

Can new coach turn Huron's fortunes around?

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Can a new coach turn New Boston Huron's baseball fortune around?

The Chiefs of Huron have hired a new coach - Bill Spiecker - to try. Huron finished with a 1-19 won-lost record a year ago, and in the cellar of the conference that bears its name.

"We're going to give it a try," said Spiecker who fielded his first high school varsity baseball team Tuesday afternoon against Southgate Aquinas. Although new to the prep coaching ranks, Spiecker has managed amateur baseball teams. Some of the present members of the Huron team played for him last summer.

"I know most of these kids," Spiecker said. "And they are hard workers and dedicated baseball players. Obviously, if we are going to turn this program around, we're going to have to dig in and work hard."

Spiecker has one of the better hurlers in the area in senior Mike Debozy, a 6-0 athlete who earned a berth on the Associated Newspapers' All-Area basketball team. A southpaw, Debozy was in the thick of the battle last year when the Chiefs had their problems putting runs on the scoreboard.

Debozy is expected to playing a crucial role in Huron's baseball renaissance.

The Chiefs also have three other fine looking holdovers from last year's lineup. They are Mike Emery, a first baseman; Rog Marmion, second baseman; Matt Spiecker, the coach's son, at third; and All-Area candidate Joe McLeod, who will be behind the plate.

"Aside from Debozy, we have some untested pitchers," said Spiecker who is looking at righthanders McLeod, Chris Rogowski, and sophomore Dave Delano, Matt Hamilton and Ron Nowitzke to see if one or two can fit into the pitching rotation.

The Chiefs will be in deep trouble if they don't find the arms. Carlson, the defending conference champ, along with perennial league powers, Grosse Ile, Riverview, and Flat Rock are power-packed again.

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sports**

profile



Name: Bryant Satterlee
Age: 17
School: John Glenn
Sport: Baseball
Achievement: Satterlee, a standout football player at Glenn, is expected to provide a good deal of offense and some pitching for the Rockets baseball team. The senior, who will also catch, has accepted a scholarship to Central Michigan University.

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"I felt that we were good enough to win, but not smart enough."
Dennis Stoh
Romulus baseball coach



Over and out

The sudden return this week of winter and snow led to the cancellation of most of the high school track and field schedule in the area. Coaches said today that they will attempt to make up the meets later this month. However, the outlook doesn't look too good for sports today as a cold front continues to dominate the area, plummeting temperatures to the near-freezing point.

Orr is named as Viking head baseball coach

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

There has been a changing of the guards, of sorts, at Inkster High School. Jerome Orr has replaced Joe Coleman as the head baseball coach for the Vikings of Inkster.

"I am looking forward to the new challenge," said Orr, who will launch his coaching career on Tuesday against Suburban Athletic Conference powerhouse, Highland Park. The Parkers are one of two teams picked to win the SAC title this year. Willow Run is the other serious title contender, according to coaches.

Orr, a former all-around athlete at Inkster High, believes that his team has an outside shot at the championship. "This is a good, solid team," he said, "and we're going to give some teams some trouble this year."

"In fact, don't count us out of the running. I believe if things fall into the right places, we will be contenders."

Orr will be relying on seven returning veterans to back up his statement. The seven include: Art Asbury, a pitcher-outfielder, who was a member of the Viking cage team; Joe Stokes, the lone senior who is back - he's an infielder and will also see action on the mound; and Maurice Bell, a junior that will be groomed for first or outfield when he isn't starting on the mound.

The Vikings also have available from last

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— Jerome Orr
Inkster baseball coach

year's roster Tyrone Orr, who is the coach's nephew. Tyrone is slated to start in the infield and may do some pitching. Then there are Wesley Laurecer, a pitcher; Malk Perdue, a catcher, and Robert Simms, who can be utilized either at second base or in the outfield.

The Vikings have the contenders at the top of their schedule. After their April 18 date with Highland Park on the home diamond, they will stay home to entertain the Flyers of Willow Run (April 20) for a doubleheader and round out the month against Ecorse (April 27), again on the home turf.

A former coach in South Carolina who played semipro baseball, Orr has officiated in the SAC Conference and knows "it is a tough league."

"One thing for sure, the SAC may be noted for basketball but baseball doesn't take the back seat to any sport," Orr said. "This should be a very exciting season. I don't think there is a team in this league this year that can't win it. With no exceptions."

Romulus wastes Tank's 16 record strikeouts, lose

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

Romulus wasted a sensational record-shattering pitching performance by sophomore Eddie Tank and dropped a 3-2 non-league decision to Taylor Truman in the season's baseball opener for both schools on Thursday.

Tank, a 6-5 hard-throwing hurler, notched a school-record 16 strikeouts but lost to Truman, which rallied in the last of the seventh for three runs to edge Coach Ron Stoh's Eagles.

Truman swept the doubleheader by taking the second game, 5-4, staging another come-from-behind victory.

"After the bad season we had

last year," Stoh said, "we were stressing defense. And until that final inning, we played outstanding defense. Then a hit, walk and two errors led to our defeat."

"You know, it's disappointing because we were good enough to win, but not smart enough."

Romulus took a 1-0 lead in the opening inning as Chris Labiak and Eddie King opened the campaign with singles. A passed ball led to the Eagles first run of the season.

Romulus made it a 2-0 ball game in the top of the sixth as Labiak doubled, stole second and scored on Ken Blevins' sacrifice.

Working on a shutout, Tank

got into trouble in the bottom of the seventh when he gave up a hit and walked a batter. Then, his teammates committed two crucial and devastating errors.

In digesting his first setback of the season, Tank gave up three hits, walked five while fanning a record 16 batters.

In an abbreviated nightcap, called after five complete innings because of darkness, Truman again waited until the final inning to put the decisive runs on the scoreboard. They struck for three in the fifth to erase a 4-2 deficit and win 5-4.

Romulus reliever Eddie King was tagged for the loss. He replaced Shawn Shelby, who started and worked the first two innings, giving up

single runs in each of the first and third innings.

In the top of the fourth, the Eagles came alive: King was safe on an error, then Blevins latched on to a single. With runners on first and third, Shelby walked, loading the bases. Then Robert Hoth came through with a two-run base hit that tied the score at 2-2.

That brought Danny Fischer

to the plate and Fischer drilled a single to put the Eagles up by one. Chris Jones also singled, driving in the fourth and what proved to be the final run of the ballgame.

Romulus will return to the diamond today, clashing with Taylor Kennedy, in another non-league doubleheader that is scheduled on the home field at 3:30 p.m.

Although Kennedy has also dropped its first two games, Stoh said that he expects the defending Class A semifinalist to be tough.

"True they lost Avery," Stoh said, "but they (Kennedy) have traditionally fielded excellent teams at Kennedy. I look for an excellent game and, if we can eliminate our mental mistakes, we should be all right."

Champs

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Garcia, a sixth-place finisher in the high hurdles; and Marcy Hall, who was eighth in the shot put.

Okler's senior contingent includes Tracie Nagy, who specializes in the high jump and

runs in the relays; Brandi Mink, who is a key link in all of the relay and also runs the 440; LaDonne Swick-Glasow, a 440, 880 and high jumper; and newcomer Terri Ufer, a middle distance runner.

Okler does have one major concern. The 1989 Chiefs lack depth.

"Our numbers are down," he said, "and that could cause problems down the road if we run into a string of injuries."

enough teams can be found. Officials have scheduled a 7 p.m. May 18 meeting at the recreation complex to discuss plans for the league.

The league will begin action on June 5. Coaches and managers must submit their \$175 registration fee on or before the deadline of May 25 when a final meeting and drawing will be staged.

For information about the Inkster softball leagues or any other Inkster parks and recreation program, telephone 728-7530.

while a toss of 38 feet, 7 gave the Eagles a victory in the shot put, thanks to Maurice Windham's efforts. Bosley crossed the finish line first for the 200-meter dash (23.9).

The Eagles' 800-meter relay team of Merritt, Brown, Watkins and Bosley was the only other winner. The foursome ran a 1:38.5.

Wilkerson and his Eagles remain on the non-conference trail this week. They'll clash with Monroe Jefferson today in Monroe.

Softball

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cials, scorekeepers, league and sponsor trophies.

Softball managers have until May 12 to submit their intent to register for the league.

There is an adult co-ed softball league on the recreation department's drawing boards, if

Eagles

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and Keith Merritt ran a 11.5 in the 100-meters. Against Garden City, however, it was a different story as the Eagles managed only four winners. John Valentine's leap of 18 feet, 9 was good enough to win the long jump competition

Berlinn

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us here at the high school when I say that 'We are all proud of her.'"

Berlinn, recently named to the Associated Newspapers' All-Area basketball team, is a versatile athlete-scholar who has played volleyball and softball for the Eagles.

Berlinn was scheduled to sign her letter of intent yesterday and answer questions on why she selected Texas Christian over the many offers she had received during a press conference at the high school.

Coach

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And that leaves the Chiefs playing in the second division again.

But there is an intangible element that Spiecker believes will help the Chiefs overcome some of the obstacles they inevitably will face this season.

"These kids have a desire to win," Spiecker said, "and any coach will tell you that sometimes the psychological edge is more important than the talent you have."

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8041	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,685	8112	TAURUS	BLK.	\$9,630
8061	TAURUS	BLU.	\$9,786	8113	TAURUS	RED	\$9,680
8062	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,980	8115	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,330
8068	TAURUS	BRN.	\$10,182	8122	TAURUS	RED	\$9,625
8089	TAURUS	RED	\$9,928	8146	TAURUS	RED	\$9,900
8084	TAURUS	BRN.	\$10,159	8145	TAURUS		\$9,870
8081	TAURUS	RED	\$9,720	8164	TAURUS	BLK.	\$9,605
8106	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,745	8166	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,610
8108	TAURUS	BLK.	\$9,580	8170	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,706
8121	TAURUS	RED	\$9,644	8171	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,381
8144	TAURUS	BLU.	\$10,154	8174	TAURUS	BLK.	\$9,210
8169	TAURUS	BLK.	\$9,706	8181	TAURUS	BRN.	\$9,240
8192	TAURUS	RED	\$9,528	8182	TAURUS	RED	\$9,691
8202	TAURUS	TAN	\$9,776	8183	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,325
8226	TAURUS	WTE.	\$8,729	8184	TAURUS	BLU.	\$9,335
8042	TAURUS	BLK.	\$9,882	8185	TAURUS	GRY.	\$9,620
8043	TAURUS	SLV.	\$9,190	8193	TAURUS	SLV.	\$10,008
8051	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,698	8199	TAURUS	MAR.	\$9,388
8064	TAURUS	WTE.	\$9,932	8203	TAURUS	TAN	\$9,776
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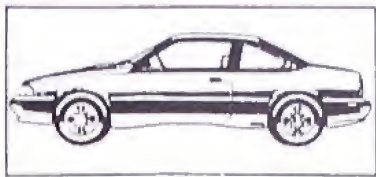
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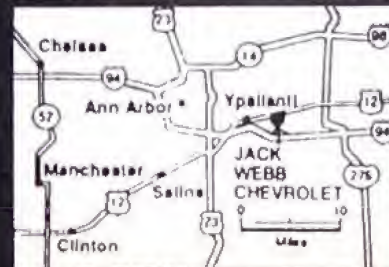


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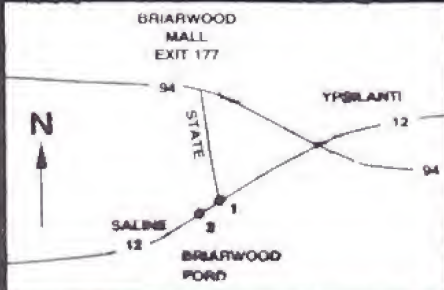
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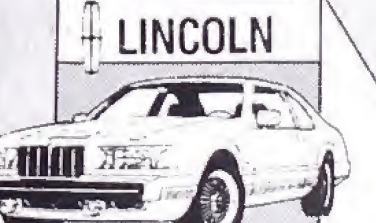


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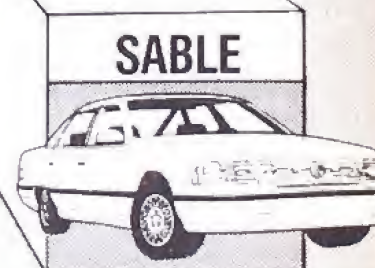
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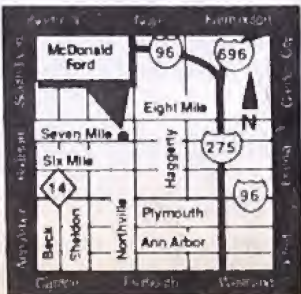
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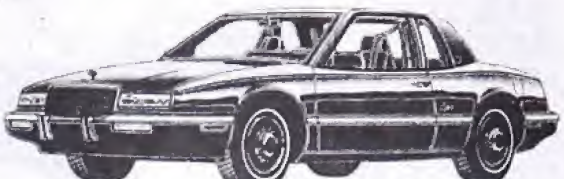

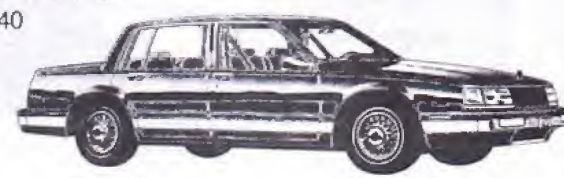

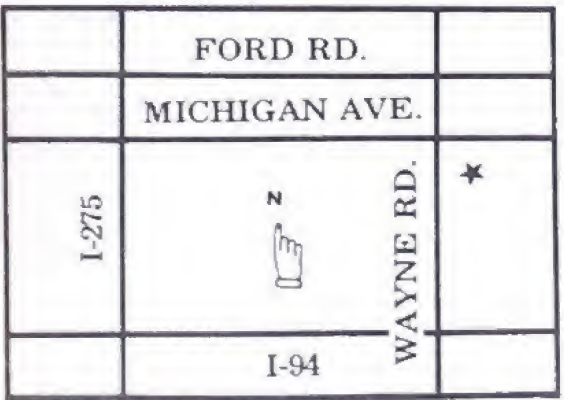
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